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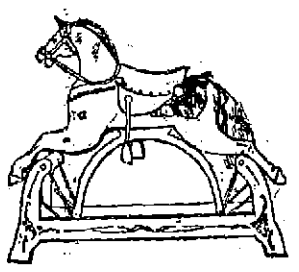
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THOUGHT HE FIRED BLANK CARTRIDGES.

Smith Supposed His Revolver Was Loaded With These.

Main Point of His Case as Outlined; Defendant Testifies.

[Special Despatch to the News.]

PROVIDENCE, Dec. 15.—The trial of Charles B. Smith, who is charged with the shooting of William Eagan at the Newport beach July 4 last, was resumed in the superior court before Judge Doran this morning.

The defense, which had closed its case Friday afternoon, asked permission to re-open and this being granted put on the stand Inspector McGann of Providence, an expert in cartridges. McGann testified concerning experiments with ball and blank cartridges of the S. & W. variety and gave his opinions, from his past experience and these experiments, that the shells offered in evidence were of ball cartridges.

At the request of Assistant Attorney General Ham a blank cartridge was fired in the cell room in the basement of the court house and Deputy Sheriff McElroy was put on the stand to testify that the shell was cracked but not split. The shell was produced in court, examined by the jury and offered as evidence.

Clark Burdick of Newport, of counsel for Smith; outlined the case for the defense. He said they would try to prove that on the morning of the Fourth of July Smith, at his mother's request, fired several shots in the yard of his home on Clinton avenue as a salute to the flag, from a revolver and from a shotgun; that when he fired the revolver he used ball cartridges belonging to his father, his mother having given him permission to use the revolver and cartridges; that after firing the salute he went to a poolroom, sent a friend for some blank cartridges U. S. C., and that the blank cartridges were in the revolver when Smith fired at the beach.

Mr. Burdick said the defense would also show that Smith and Campbell went to the beach, and as they were leaving were bumped into by two sailors, Radue and Maloney, and the sailors used vile names. Radue hit Campbell and Maloney made a savage swing at Smith, which was warded off. A general mix-up followed, in which Radue had the better of Campbell and Smith was having the better of it with Maloney. Radue came to Maloney's assistance and Smith then ran towards the water, the crowd following, and making all sorts of threats. One of the cries was: "Drown the black bastard." Smith had been forced nearly to the water, shouting to the crowd to hold back and let him alone. At the edge of the water he drew the revolver, which he supposed was loaded with blank cartridges, and fired over the heads of the crowd. Smith fired only when he felt that he was in danger of bodily harm.

The defense will also show that Smith was quiet and peaceable, and a boy of good character. Towards the end of his statement, the lawyer said that to this day Smith does not know that the bullet which struck the Eagan boy came from his revolver.

The defense opened its case by calling Smith. Mr. Burdick conducted the direct examination, and drew from Smith the story of what he had done during the day, from the time he first took the revolver until the shooting. Smith testified in detail as to his movements during the day and said he had never handled a revolver before. He was still on the stand when the court took its usual noon recess.

It is expected that Assistant Attorney General Ham will conduct the cross-examination of Smith this afternoon.

BY VOTE OF 40 TO 35.

Senate Defeats First Attempt to Alter the Currency Bill.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—By a vote of 40 to 35 the Senate today defeated the first attempt to alter the administration currency bill as framed by the Democratic caucus. The vote sent to the tabel the first amendment proposed by Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, which would have fixed the number of regional banks in the new system at four, and would have made the regional banks publicly owned institutions.

AT RECENT CARABAO BANQUET,

Wilson to Look Into Satires on Administration's Philippines Policy.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—President Wilson today ordered an investigation by the War and Navy Departments of the satires on the administration's Philippines policy, which featured the annual banquet last Thursday of the Order of Carabao, an organization of army and navy officers who served in the Islands. President Wilson suggested to Secretaries Garrison and Daniels reprimands for those responsible.

STEAMERS REPORTED.

NEW YORK, Dec 15.—Napoli from Naples for New York, 1,100 miles east of Sandy Hook at 8 a. m. will dock 8:30 Friday.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.— Venezia from Marseilles for Providence and New York, 570 miles east of Brenton Reef at noon December 14.

SIASCONSET, Mass., Dec. 15.—Ryndam, from Rotterdam for New York, 380 miles east of Sandy Hook at 8 a. m., will dock at noon Tuesday.

SIASCONSET, Mass., Dec. 15.—Vaderland from Antwerp for New York, 328 miles east of Sandy Hook at 8 a. m. will dock 8:30 a. m. Tuesday.

STEAMER ARRIVED.

New York, Dec 15.—California, from Glasgow.

BATTLESHIPS RETURN FROM EUROPEAN TRIP.

Thousands of Men to Spend Christmas Holidays Ashore.

Vessels Expected to Remain at New York Until After New Year's.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Four of the United States battleships back from the European cruise of the Atlantic fleet reached port today, but only flagship Wyoming and the Arkansas came up the East river to the navy yard. The Utah and the Florida dropped anchor off Tompkinsville, Staten Island, and will not reach the yard until tomorrow. Five thousand officers and men will spend their Christmas holidays ashore.

The ships probably will remain at New York until after New Year's, unless the Mexican situation should become so acute as to necessitate their going to Mexican waters to re-inforce the fleet now there.

Nearly $200,000 will be dealt out to the officers and men by the paymasters of the battleships here during this week. The battleships were reported early this morning by wireless to be within a few hours' steaming of New York. Battleship Delaware and fuel ships Orion and Jason have been detached from the squadron and are proceeding for Norfolk in company with battleship Vermont, which broke a shaft last week.

DISTURBER OF THE PEACE.

Miss Zelie Emerson of Jackson, Mich., Remanded in London.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—Miss Zelie Emerson of Jackson, Mich., was brought up at the police court today charged with disturbing the peace last evening in the Bow Street district of the East End of London. She appeared in the prisoner's enclosure with one of her arms in a sling. It had been badly twisted in the scuffle with the police.

In their evidence the police testified that Miss Emerson had smashed in a policeman's helmet with the pole of a suffrage banner she was carrying. The magistrate remanded her for a week on bail, on the prisoner's promise to refrain until the case was tried.

Miss Emerson was the central figure in a furious scrimmage between the police and suffragettes and their supporters in the Bow district. Miss Emerson and three men were arrested. The suffragettes gathered for the purpose of demonstrating before the houses of the councillors who had deprived them of the use of Bow Baths as a meeting place. One hundred police quickly corralled the demonstrators, and failing to dissuade them from their proposed action, charged the procession.

They seized Miss Emerson, and men and women rushed to her rescue. A wild scene followed, and women and children were thrown to the ground in the melee and trampled in the semi-darkness. The shrieks of the frightened mob terrified the onlookers, but when the field was cleared, the injuries turned out to be not serious. The police captured many suffragette banners, which they tore to shreds.

CROWDS SEE "MONA LISA."

Busts and Statues Removed from Uffizi Gallery to Prevent Damage.

FLORENCE, Italy, Dec. 15.—So great is the crowd of people striving to obtain a view of Da Vinci's painting "Mona Lisa" that the authorities have been obliged to remove many of the busts and statues from the Uffizi Gallery to prevent them from being overturned and broken during the struggle to get near the picture. Resentment is expressed in many quarters at the action of the Italian government in returning the picture to France.

DEMAND WAGE INCREASE.

Mule Spinners in Four Knight Mills in Pawtuxet Valley Strike.

WARWICK, Dec. 15.—Demanding 17 per cent increas ein wages, the mule spinners in the four B. B. & R. Knight Co. mills in the Pawtuxet Valley went on strike today. The strikers number about 75 men. The mill officials declare that the strike will not handicap the operation of the mills to any considerable extent.

DUE TO THE WIND.

Rifle Club Scores a Little Under First Match.

Scores made by the Newport Rifle Club in the second match of the Short Range League were a little under the first, due to the wind, which was very strong on both nights the match was shot. Albro was the only one to make a really good score. The figures:

Albro	97	99	196
Spooner	93	94	189
Diesel	94	93	187
Brooks	92	95	187
Rhodes	95	91	186
			945

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Island Sausage Meat, per lb	20c
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COATS,
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In all the leading styles of furs of medium and high grade.

The Hess Co.'s usual guarantee goes with every piece sold. As cold weather is sure to come, this is an unusual opportunity to procure furs before Christmas at a discount of fully 33 per cent.

Sale begins Wednesday, 10 A. M.

The Hess Co.

FAMOUS MEN'S PIPES.

Bowls in Which Lord Byron and Sir Walter Raleigh Burned Tobacco.

[London Tit-Bits.]

Our classical rhymesters do not seem to have been very dainty smokers Tennyson liked a cigar, and is said on one occasion to have quitted Venice in disgust because he could get no good cigars there; but an Irish clay and a plentiful supply of bird's-eye tobacco delighted him more than the best Havana.

As a matter of fact, Tennyson could not exist without his pipe. It is related that on one occasion, at a soiree of the Royal Society, he declared he must have a pipe. A friend said he could smoke up the chimney of the Lack library, or on the roof. Tennyson chose the latter, and, with his body thrust half way through the skylight, puffed away in peace, descending in a quarter of an hour greatly refreshed.

Charles Lamb, too, was an inveterate pipe smoker, while the pipe which the T.-B. man came across in Mr. Sawyer's shop at 23 New Oxford street, seems to point to the fact that Byron's tastes in pipes were as extravagant as Tennyson's were simple.

The pipe in question, which is valued at £24, is a large, handsome meerschaum relic in three sections, modeled on the lines of the Dutch pipes. The round bowl, which is about 4 inches in depth, has an outside diameter of about 1½ inches, the hole for the tobacco being about three quarters of an inch in diameter. The stem of red wood, mounted with stag horn and fitted with elaborate silver chains, is nearly 18 inches long, the whole pipe weighing six or seven ounces.

That the pipe actually belonged to Byron is proved by a small ticket attached to it, which bears an inscription in Italian. Furthermore, the relic is accompanied by a sworn testimony made before an Italian magistrate July 10, 1889, which relates how, after Byron's death in 1824, the pipe was assigned to one of his waiters and ultimately came into the hands of the Marquis Durazzo, upon whose death, in 1888, it was included in the sale of his effects, when the document which accompanies the pipe was attested.

Exactly how much Byron smoked this pipe it is, of course, difficult to say; but it was evident to the T.-B. man, who was permitted to smoke it, that it had done good service, for the interior of the bowl had the appearance of being regularly used. The horn mouthpiece, too, was considerably bitten, and, judging by the marks, had been frequently cut and trimmed.

The pipe itself holds about four times as much as an ordinary briar, and it must have taken a long time to season. But perhaps Byron, like Mark Twain, employed a "professional" to season his pipe. It will be remembered that Twain's favorite pipe was a corn cob, which are all right when you have seasoned them to your liking. When some one complained to Twain that he had tried a corn cob and found it utterly impossible to smoke one, the famous American humorist replied:

"That is because you don't know how to begin them. When you get a new corn cob pipe you should hire a cheap man and make him smoke it pretty continuously for three days. Then pay your man and put a new stem into the bowl. Given reasonably good tobacco, you will find it the sweetest smoke in the world. The cheap man very often survives."

Referring again for a moment to pipes, it is interesting to note that while Tennyson was an inveterate smoker Browning eschewed the weed; and Mr. Swinburne has, in a most emphatic manner, decried the habit. On one occasion he strolled into the Arts Club, and, finding that every room was occupied by smokers, he indulged in a characteristic outburst.

"James I," he exclaimed, "was a knave, a tyrant, a fool, a liar and a coward; but I love him, I worship him, because he slit the throat of that blackguard Raleigh, who invented this filthy smoking."

Mention of Raleigh recalls the fact that four years ago Sir Walter's pipe was sold at a West End auction for 75 guineas. Like Byron's, it is built on heroic lines, and consists of four parts—stem, bend, bowl and bowl cover—being about a foot long and weighing more than a pound. At half a dozen points the wood is carved into highly polished faces of Mohawks, monkeys and dogs, while in the stem is a powerful whistle, which is supposed to be that with which the Elizabethan pioneer of empire summoned the servant who flung a jug of beer over him, thinking he was on fire.

Two hundred pounds of one occasion was refused for this pipe, but unfortunately the parchment document, giving the history of the pipe, was lost some years ago. If the parchment could only be produced the pipe would easily fetch £500.

METRIC SYSTEM EMPLOYED.

Scientific Farmers and Housekeepers Find Daily Use for Units.

[Popular Mechanics Magazine.]

Few people realize how widely the metric system of weights and measures is employed in this country. Yet sportsmen and scientist, druggist and jeweler, farmer and physical director, housewife and health officer, librarian and manufacturer, even the federal government, all know and use the metric system.

The scientific farmer no longer worries at calories and grams and liters and centimeters; he knows that the science upon which his agriculture is based depends upon investigations in which only metric units are employed. For instance in the Babcock milk test, which is familiar to every dairy farmer, 17.6 cubic centimeters of sulphuric acid is added to 17.6 cubic centimeters of milk. Certified milk must among other things, have less than 10,000 bacteria per cubic centimeter; and milk classed as Grade A must contain less than 10,000 bacteria per cubic centimeter before pasteurization, and less than 50,000 afterward.

The health officer determines the fitness of water for use by the number and kind of bacteria. He seldom approves of water containing more than a few hundred bacteria per cubic centimeter, regardless of the kind; and water is labelled 'good' only if it contains less than a hundred bacteria per cubic centimeter. It is worth mention that in cases of serious illness the bulletins issued by the physicians for public information now usually give the number of leucocytes and phagocytes per cubic centimeter of blood.

Scientific housekeepers use metric weights constantly. A balanced diet is of extreme importance in reducing the cost of food; and in figuring dietaries metric units only are employed.

PORTUGUESE GRIEVANCES.

Government Has Little Difficulty in Suppressing Revolutions.

[New York Evening Post.]

An English correspondent in Lisbon, writing to a London Journal, observes that the Portuguese government, with all its defects, has not much difficulty in suppressing the feeble revolutionary efforts—whether syndicalist, radical, or monarchical—made to overthrow it. Speaking of the latest fiasco by the Royalists, he says:

"It is not to be wondered at that the government, possessing as it does a most complete system of espionage, should know practically every detail connected with the proposed movement, when every Tom, Dick and Harry confessing sympathy towards it was kept well informed as to its details, and when, on the eve of the occurrences, it was a matter of common knowledge that something was going to happen. What really happened is not difficult to deduce. At their final meeting the royalist leaders were warned that the government was in possession of their secrets, and had issued orders for their arrest. They thereupon decided that a prudent course was the best one to follow in the circumstances, and vanished. The time being too short to allow of all the persons concerned to be warned, some poor fellows, belonging to the most humble sections, came out, and to their dismay found themselves without leaders, and with a very small contingent of those sworn to the cause. The leaders, of course, in absenting themselves as they did, were only following precedent, for, of all the prominent personages connected with the revolution of 1910 who are still in evidence, only one, Senor Machada Santos, was seen during the actual fighting."

The writer adds that the disturbance has rather helped the government by diverting attention from grievances against it.

FIRE PREVENTION IN NEW YORK.

[Joseph Johnson, fire commissioner, in American Review of Reviews.]

Until recently the talent and ingenuity of fire engineers were expended almost entirely upon putting out fires. Some effort is now being made towards preventing them. The "ounce of prevention" is beginning to supersede the "pound of cure."

For many years the annual fire loss in the United States has ranged between $200,000,000 and $250,000,000. The "ounce of prevention" is helping now to cut down that loss. Last year we reduced our fire loss in New York city nearly $3,500,000, as compared with the preceding year.

There were 2,067 fewer fires in New York during the first three quarters of the present year than during the first nine months of 1912. The fires between January 1 and September 30, 1913, was about $2,300,000 less than during the corresponding period last year. Those figures show what fire prevention is accomplishing for us. They show that the work of fire-proofing New York has started well.

USES OF QUICKSILVER.

[Geological Survey Bulletin.]

Quicksilver is used mainly in the manufacture of fulminate for explosive caps, of drugs, of electric lighting and scientific apparatus, and in the recovery of the precious metals, especially of gold, by amalgamation. An increasing demand has been reported in manufactures of electric appliances. An interesting and increasing use in Scotland is the floating of the lights of lighthouses upon a body of quicksilver. The metal is not consumed, of course, and the loss in use is insignificant. Concerning this Consul Fleming writes as follows: "The commissioners of northern lighthouses, Edinburgh, have in their charge 90 lighthouses on the coast of Scotland. Up to the year 1900 the revolving lights were borne on rollers. The 'float' system has been gradually introduced, however, and is now in operation at 30 coast stations and will be used at all others. The lighting machinery rests on a pontoon which runs on quicksilver in a groove. The quantity of mercury required for this purpose in a lighthouse is from seven to eight flasks of 75 pounds each. As the waste is trifling, the total present demand for this purpose is small."

PERSONALS.

....Princeton lost a good football player when Walter E. Hammond, who played end on the 'Varsity team, was married to Miss Eliza Zimmerman of Brooklyn. Hammond, who is a member of the Junior class, expects to discontinue his college work.

....William Jefferson Pollard, who as judge of a St. Louis police court became widely known through paroling of drunkards on condition that they sign the pledge, is dead of heart disease. Judge Pollard twice represented the United States at the international conference on alcoholism. At these conferences he explained his system of dealing with drunkards, and the system since then has been adopted in many foreign lands. Judge Pollard was a delegate to the recent conference at Milan, but missed his ship in New York because he stopped to talk to a man who had signed the pledge in his court.

....President Thomas Francis Kane of the University of Washington has been removed from office by the board of regents, who unanimously adopted a resolution declaring the office vacant. The action was the climax of an agitation which has lasted three years, in which a majority of the faculty and students are said to have aligned themselves against President Kane. A report is current that President Woodrow Wilson has been asked to recommend a man whom he considers competent to become head of the University of Washington.

....Dr. James MacAlister, for 20 years president of Drexel Institute, Philadelphia, and an educator of international reputation, died at sea, on board steamship Carribean, bound from New York to Bermuda. He resigned the presidency of the Institute last June because of ill health. Dr. MacAlister was the head of the schools of Milwaukee from 1874 to 1881 and later became regent of Wisconsin normal schools. He was at one time a lecturer at Johns Hopkins University and at the College of the City of New York, was a trustee of the University of Pennsylvania, and in 1890 was elected an officer of L'Academie, Paris. Dr. MacAlister was a liberal contributor to literature, mainly on pedagogical subjects. He was 73 years old.

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HERCULEAN TOADSTOOL.

Fungi Lift Pavements and Take Possession of Dark Places.

[Tit-Bits.]

Some years ago a portion of the pavement in Goswell Road, London, was lifted out of its place in a mysterious manner. Before it could be replaced numerous toadstools made their appearance in the gaping spaces between the stones. When the stones were removed it was found that they rested on an immense spongy mass of toadstool growth which had gone on increasing until it made a way through which it could push its head into the air. One of the stones moved by it measured 4 by 2 feet and weighed 200 pounds.

A more extensive injury was done in the same way some years ago at the town of Basingstoke. Not many months after the town had been paved the pavement was noticed to exhibit signs of unevenness, which could not be accounted for. As soon as the unevenness was sufficient to make openings between the stones, the hidden enemy made its appearance in the shape of innumerable toadstools. So completely had the spores of spawn taken possession of the material on which the pavement was laid that it had to be completely taken up and the whole town re-paved.

The toadstool and its kind seem to flourish in places where the light is excluded, as in dark cellars under flagstones and in hollow trees. They require the air, however, and a certain, though it may be small, amount of light, that they may reach their perfect condition. Unless they are able to produce seed they go on developing this amorphous, spongy mass until it attains sometimes a fabulous dimension. Every one has heard of the enormous growths of fungi in some wine cellars. A case is on record in which a cask of wine, having been left without attention in a dark cellar for three years, was at the termination of that period found to have been borne on the surface of a mushroom growth until it was forced against the roof. The fungus, moreover, had access to the wine and had drunk it all, living upon its sugar, and so the more easily raising the gradually emptying cask from the ground. Fungi have sometimes taken possession of worked-out mines and occupied enormous spaces.

MR. FIVE HANDS.

A Little Ring-Tailed Monkey Whose Cage is His Playground.

[Continent]

Mr. Five Hands is a little ring-tailed monkey who lives at the zoo, where he is a great favorite with the children because he is so happy-hearted and merry. His cage is his playground, and there he entertains by the hour the crowds which gather to watch his antics and to laugh at his funny, quaint, old-mannish face and his jolly ways.

All Mr. Five Hands's family lived in the jungle, indeed, he lived there himself until he was two years old, and played and chattered among the trees with the other monkeys, leaping from bough to bough, and mocking the tiger cat and boa, which, were unable to follow him.

There's little in the way of climbing that Mr. Five Hands can't do, though he isn't a very good walker. And it's that fifth hand of his that makes him such a wonderful climber. It helps him to keep his balance, and he can hang by it from a limb and swing back and forth with all the ease imaginable. Of course, you have guessed that this hand is nothing more nor less than Mr. Five Hands's long tail. It winds about a bough like a supple finger, and is so muscular that it bears his weight with ease.

Mr. Five Hands loves to be petted, and cuddles up in the arms of his keeper like a child. He has a plaintive little way of chattering, but, when he takes a notion to shriek, it's time to put your fingers in your ears! He is very quick to learn, and his keeper has taught him a number of tricks and trained him to have nice monkey manners—all but table manners. Mr. Five Hands's way of dining is something to view with pain and sorrow. He is nothing short of a glutton, and wastes three times as much as he eats. He is very fond of boiled rice and milk, and bread and milk, potatoes, apples and carrots—onions, too, which he takes as "crop warmers."

Mr. Five Hands is clean and well coated, and has, apparently, a great aversion to untidiness in others; for, when he is not playing, his favorite diversion is picking specks of sawdust and dirt from the coat of his cage mate.

It is too bad that Mr. Five Hands will not always be as amiable and happy as he is now. Sad to tell, he will be very cross and disagreeable in his old age. Perhaps it will just mean that he is homesick for the jungle. But it's difficult, now, to imagine him any way, but care free and happy.

A TELEPHONE MESSAGE.

[New York Tribune.]

This actually happened in the office the other day:

City editor—Take Mrs. Busybody on the 'phone.

Reporter—Hello.

Mrs. Busybody—Oh! Oh! Let me see. As a matter of fact, the situation is much relieved. I am getting letters from all over the country, praising your recipes. They have a most beneficial effect—most beneficial. Everything is much improved, and the other day I heard from New Brunswick.

Reporter—What did you hear?

Mrs. Busybody—Why, that things were much relieved. Why do you make me waste my time, which is twice as valuable as yours, anyway?

Reporter—But what is relieved?

Mrs. Busbody (growing sarcastic)—Oh! Obviously you know nothing about the story—nothing at all, and you expect me, who am so busy that I have not a moment to spare, and my doctor told me the other day that I needed a rest, and that if I did not set it he would not answer for the consequences and that—

Reporter (imperturbably)—But what do you want, madam?

Mrs Busybody—Oh, you needn't try to be smart with me, sir. But I have told you what I wanted, and I don't propose to tell it to you again and you are trying to be impertinent. You are incompetent, anyway, so why do you try to waste—

Reporter—Madam, I shall print what you have told me (ringing off). And here it is.



Large Armholes in Blouses.

This blouse is made of Persian printed velvet, in rose and dull blue tones. Pleatings of gray chiffon trim the neck and the sleeves, a chemisette of gray chiffon being set in the front.

ELECTRIC MAIL CARRIERS.

New System for Package Transportation on a Large Scale.

A new type of electric carrier for transporting postoffice, express or package freight has been devised, in which the cars, running in a cylindrical tube, are propelled by magnetic force without wheel traction. The system, which is patented and is controlled by the Electric Carrier Company, New York city, is said to be applicable to any case of package transportation on a large scale.

The car runs on a narrow gauge track. Between the rails is a flattened part of an alternating-current induction motor, corresponding to its rotor, with closed circuit windings of the squirrel-cage type. On the bottom of the car is another flattened part of a motor corresponding to its stator, with open-circuit wire windings. The air space between the motor parts is about three-eighths of an inch. Power is supplied to the car through live rails at the top of the tube, and contact is made by a small wheel running on each rail. Short stiff springs holding the trolley wheels in contact help to guide the car around curves, but without binding, opportunity being afforded at the same time to use the maximum height of car. The alternating current used passes through the primary member on the car and induces a magnetic field which propels the car at uniform speed regardless of the grade. Ball bearings are used on the running wheels, which are mounted on separate axles. A patent signal system divides the line into block sections, and the section occupied by a car is indicated by a light in a glass diagram in the terminal buildings. The stoppage of the cars is accomplished by reversing the current, and is assisted by a pair of raised rails at the terminal which exert a braking action on the bottom of the car body.

It is proposed to apply the system, using underground tubes 48 inches in diameter, wherever there is a large traffic, as between the two large railway terminals in New York city, as well as in general business between cities. The advantages claimed over any other electric system are that the same unit of power will send a car farther and faster when applied as a direct pull than when exerted indirectly through gearing; that the smallness of the propelling member increases the carrying capacity of the car; that the system is adopted to any grade; that grinding of the wheels is eliminated; that the smallness of the wheels will not limit the speed; and that the synchronous movement will safely permit high-speed operation on a short headway, a speed of 60 miles per hour being feasible. Great advantages are also claimed for the use of a continuous track member and the reversing of the primary and secondary elements, thus eliminating costly winding on the long track element.

CARDINAL WOLSEY'S WINE CELLAR TO BE PRESERVED.

The office of works has decided to preserve intact, in the great scheme of improvement in Whitehall Gardens, one of the few remaining portions of the old palace of Whitehall, which, it is hoped may without difficulty be incorporated in the administrative buildings to be erected on this historic site. The apartment in question, which has a low vaulted roof, is claimed to be the wine cellar of Cardinal Wolsey, and it at present forms part of the refreshment department at Whitehall Gardens. It is clearly figured in Fisher's ground plan of the royal palace of Whitehall, published in the reign of Charles II, and is situated immediately behind the great hall in close proximity to the pantry, the kitchen and other offices.

At the instance of Lord Beauchamp's department a portion of the wall was laid bare some time ago, with the result that the original brickwork was found to be in perfect condition, while further investigation behind the rude stucco was the means of bringing to light the cardinal's arms carved in stone. It was from Whitehall stairs that Wolsey entered his barge and was rowed to Esher after his disgrace at the hands of Henry VIII, at which period the palace passed into the possession of the crown.

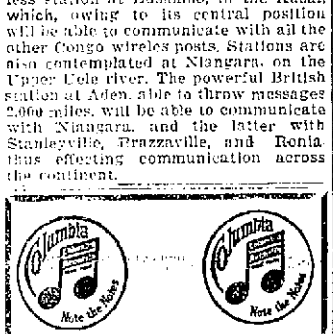
WIRELESS IN AFRICA.

[London Globe.]

Brazzaville, the capital of French equatorial Africa, is now in wireless communication with Lisala, 610 miles further up the river Congo, and even with Stanleyville, 740 miles distant. Kindu and Lowa stations have succeeded in communicating with Moanza, on Lake Victoria, 453 miles distant. Atmospheric conditions in the Congo are not favorable to wireless telegraphy, says a consular report, the air being often highly charged with electricity, and the strong sunlight affecting the passage of the other waves. Stations with wave lengths under 1,200 yards fall after 6 a. m., and only succeed at night. Two stations, Lowa, and Kindu, with wave lengths of 1,700 yards, can, however, it is found, operate equally well during the day. It is also proposed to establish a high-power wireless station at Lusambo, in the Kasai, which, owing to its central position will be able to communicate with all the other Congo wireless posts. Stations are also contemplated at Niangara, on the Upper Uele river. The powerful British station at Aden, able to throw messages 2,000 miles, will be able to communicate with Niangara, and the latter with Stanleyville, Brazzaville, and Ronia, thus effecting communication across the continent.

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DEFRAUDS THE RAILROADS.

Government Compels Carrying of Mails Without Compensation.

Howard Elliott, chairman of the board of directors, of the New Haven road, in a speech before the railway Business Association in New York declared that the United States government is deliberately defrauding the railroads out of $15,000,000 a year by compelling the roads to carry ordinary mails without compensation. Counting in the parcel post under the new weight limit authorized by the Postmaster General, Mr. Elliott said the government is taking from $500,000 to $900,000 a year from the New Haven alone.

He said the railroads in the past 10 years have been trying more and more to do an honest business in the belief that honesty is the best policy, and the moral effect on young men in the business has been good because they are learning that they must be good or be discarded.

"What kind of an example does the United States government set before the youth of the land in its treatment of the great transportation lines?" he said. "Look at the mail and parcel post situation for a moment! The government pays the railways for transporting the mail on the basis of weights obtained in the autumn of 1912 for the four years beginning July 1, 1913, although there is always some increase in weight each year during the four-year-period.

"In January, 1913, the parcel post began with a weight limit of 11 pounds, then increased it to 20, and it is now in some cases, to be 50 pounds. The parcel post takes business away from the express business of the railway and reduces earnings in that way, but the government pays nothing for the extra weight carried, as the test weighing was before the parcel post began.

"So for four years the railways must carry the increasing weight of the ordinary mail and the rapidly growing parcel post freight for nothing, unless the government takes steps to pay for service already performed and to be performed, which, so far, it seems disinclined to do."

TEACH THEIR NEIGHBORS.

South European Immigrants Cultivate the Waste Spaces.

[The Century.]

Nevertheless, certain of the south Europeans who are upon the soil have something to show American farmers facing the problems of intensive agriculture. Italians are teaching their neighbors how to extract three crops a year from a soil already nourishing orchard and vineyard. The Portuguese raise vegetables in their walnut groves, grow currants between the rows of trees in the orchard, and beans between the currant rows. They know how to prevent the splitting of their laden fruit trees by inducing a living brace to grow between opposite branches. The black beetle problem they solve by planting tomato slips enclosed in paper. From the slopes looking out on the Adriatic the Dalmatian brings a horticultural cunning while the American fruit grower should be eager to acquire.

The conversion of New Jersey barrens into berry farms, vineyards and pepper fields, the reclamation of muck soil in western New York, which Americans were not willing to touch; the transmutation of wild Ozark lands into apples and peaches, are Italian exploits which constitute clear gain for the country. But there are other immigrant farmers whose labors count on the wrong side of the national ledger. Not a few Slav colonies are clearing and tilling land so poor or so steep that it ought never to have been brought under the plow. The soil they have deforested will presently wash into the rivers, leaving stripped rocky slopes to grin, like a death's-head, in the landscape. The nation will have to pay for it, just as France paid for the reckless axe work that went on under the first republic.

MENU FOR TUESDAY.

Bake Cream Sponge Cake About Twenty Minutes—Boiled Rice.

Breakfast.

Fruit.

Broiled Brains. Creamed Potatoes.

Gems. Coffee.

Lunch.

Fish Salad.

Cream Sponge Cake. Honey.

Cocoa.

Dinner.

Vegetable Soup.

Braissed Lamb's Liver. Boiled Rice.

Cauliflower.

Lettuce. French Dressing.

Wafers. Cheese.

Caramel Custards.

Coffee.

Cream Sponge Cake.

Separate the whites and yolks of three eggs. Beat whites to a stiff froth, add yolks and beat again for a minute and a half. Gradually beat in one cupful of sugar; when all is in, beat steadily for five minutes longer. Add the grated rind of one large lemon, one cupful of thick sweet cream and beat for another five minutes. Stir in lightly one cupful and a half of sifted pastry flour, thoroughly mixed with a pinch of salt and two scant teaspoonfuls baking powder. Divide between two shallow pans lined with buttered paper and bake for about 20 minutes in a moderate oven.

Boiled Rice.

Wash one cupful of rice. Put three quarts of boiling water into a kettle, add one teaspoonful of salt and let boil rapidly; sprinkle in the rice so gradually that you will not stop the boiling. When it is all in, give the water a twirl with a fork, cover the kettle and boil rapidly for 20 minutes; pour into a colander to drain. Place the colander on a tin dish, stand in the oven for five minutes to dry, leaving the door wide open; turn carefully into a heated dish. Serve without a cover.

TOE JOINT GRAFTED TO LITTLE FINGER.

An experiment in human grafting by which a violinist has had the first joint of one of his toes transplanted to take the place of the atrophied little finger of his left hand is related. The operation, it is said, was carried out by Professor Gobell at a Kiel hospital. The first joint of the patient's little finger was removed and the corresponding joint of the second toe of his left foot transplanted, ligaments and all, the shews of the stump of the finger being stitched on. The violinist is now able to perform as before.

NEWPORT NOT ASKED FOR AID.

Fire Destroys Old Bull Storehouse, Just Over the Middletown Line.

Burning Brands Sweep Far Over the Hill, and Witherbee School Saved with Difficulty.

Middletown had another fire Sunday morning, and the Newport department did not respond. The old Bull storehouse at Green End was totally destroyed and the Witherbee school had a close call.

Shortly before 4 o'clock a brilliant illumination was seen off the northeast section of the city. Fire department headquarters received several calls as to the location and in turn inquired of a News representative if he could locate it. It was in the dip of the land where in the past fires have been not infrequent, and deceptive as to location. Telephone central soon secured the exact location, which was where with a steamer plenty of water could have been secured, but it was over the Middletown line.

As it was about milking time farmers were bestiring themselves. A bucket brigade was formed and the numerous fires which were catching on the roof of the Witherbee school were put out, either by water thrown on them or beating them out. The little school building was less than 300 feet away, and being showered with brands, some fully a foot square, and with the slight fire-fighting conveniences at hand, it is readily seen that the structure had a narrow escape. Many of the firebrands were swept far up over the hill, over the lands of Mrs. Emery.

When it was seen that the storehouse was too thoroughly on fire to be saved the danger to the school caused grave alarm. An extension ladder was borrowed at Mr. B. W. H. Peckham's place, and by means of water all of which had to be carried across the road from Mrs. Lionel H. Peabody's house, James Ritchie and Charles Feltham put out fires which had started in four or more places, especially on the roof. The building would undoubtedly have gone but for the incessant work of these two young men. Among others who assisted were Mr. Peckham and Messrs. Archie and Clarence Kauli and members of the Ritchie and Feltham families. A change of wind soon after the fire was under way helped save the schoolhouse, as the sparks and burning debris fell all about early in the conflagration and proved dangerous to the houses near by.

There is no knowledge of the origin of the fire. It was too early for any of the milkmen to pass, and all had been as usual at 2:30. The sides of the structure fell in quite early in the morning and, although everything was burned to the ground, the fire was not wholly out between 5 and 6 o'clock Sunday afternoon small clums of wood being then burning. Remnants of the heaviest timbers are still to be seen.

The burned structure, which was the old Leonard laundry, had been stripped of its roof Saturday, but practically all the lumber save a few loads of flooring were destroyed with it. Ernest Weston of Middletown had purchased it for a grocery store and residence and was to build on Bliss road. He paid $200 for the structure, it is reported, and there seemed to be an impression that he secured a great bargain, as after it was sold it is reported that many said they would have given much more had they known it was for sale. It appeared dilapidated, but those who looked it over said it contained quantities of excellent lumber. The rafters were in excellent condition and were all stacked up for carting away.

Mr. Kauli has in his possession a clapboard bearing the inscription "1864 Samuel Spooner," which came from the burning building. It was stated that the building was built by Prentice and Barney, the former a journeyman from Fall River, and the date of its removal from the south to the north side of the road was 1875.

During the progress of the fire an automobile came out from Newport and asked if they had sent an alarm to the city. Being answered in the negative, the occupant of the machine said he would go in and strike it, but it did not sound.

Some of the men who turned out to work on the fire, when asked if they called for assistance from Newport, said: "What's the use? They were called last spring for a fire on the other side of the pond in a cluster of buildings and they would not come. Last fall they crossed the line by mistake for the Jungens fire and Chief Kirwin was threatened by people in wagons and automobiles, while trying to make way for his apparatus, and told he had no rights over the line. Guess we must look out for ourselves and take what comes."

The people in this and some other parts of the town seem to favor making an arrangement with Newport for protection, but claim that there are enough voters in other sections of the town, distant from the city and where water is not to be obtained, to defeat any action if they cannot be assured benefits for their own property. Still, there are some who are trying to see if something cannot be arranged and one is talking of trying to secure a hydrant in his locality.

SYRIAN WEDDING FESTIVITIES.

[Atlantic.]

Shortly after the arrival of the escorting party, who are immediately served with wine and confections, the bride is led from her bridal seat by woman attendants and the closest male friends of the bridegroom. The etiquette of the country requires that she walk out of her fathers house extremely slow. On some occasions the walk of the bride from the innermost part of the room to the door consumes about half an hour. A decorated horse or mule is at the door, on whose back one is lifted by the strong men of the party. Another mule carries the bride's bed and clothes chest, and the procession moves slowly toward the sanctuary, amidst great rejoicing. A large concourse of people escorts the bridegroom. When the ceremony takes place in the night the whole affair assumes a brilliant aspect. Sword-players, singers, "musicians", torch-bearers and other merrymakers surround the bridegroom, and are distributed also along the procession. The house tops are filled with spectators, largely women and children. They shower on the procession rose water, flower water, wheat (the symbol of fecundity and confections. Waves of zelagheet—songs peculiar to women—float over the maching host. The procession moves with flashing swords, flaring lamps and torches, and an indescribable din of music and song. "Behold the bridegroom cometh! Go ye out to meet him!" and woe to those foolish virgins" who are not ready to join the joyous throng! The contracting parties meet at the altar, and are joined together in holy marriage by a most impressive ceremony.



WITHERBEE SCHOOLHOUSE, MIDDLETOWN.
Saved from Destruction in the Bull Storehouse Fire.

THE AVERAGE HARD-UP.

[John D. Wells, in Buffalo News.]

My bank account is frail and slim! My secretary said
The blue ink balance there today tomorrow may be red!
The which distresses me and makes me peevish as can be—
I would not worry if I had the sum that's owing me.

The Jonesbys owe me quite a lot—a 1911 bill—
But they're away, a-wintering in sunny Jacksonville;
The Smithbys, too, are in my debt and have been quite a space,
But they're in Maplecrest, S. C., where they've a winter place.

I think I'd make a raise if I knew where the Whitleys are,
But—hang my luck!—they're touring in their new motor car;
The Touley's too, might pay their bill if they could just be found,
But they're in California most all the year around.

And Bromley owes me such a lot it fairly gives me chills—
He's busy getting married, though, and cannot pay his bills.
A glance at "Bills Receivable" but stirs my discontent—
The only folks who stay at home don't owe my books a cent!

My bank account, meanwhile, is slim, my secretary said
The blue ink balance there today tomorrow may be red,
I can't collect! I can't retrench! My troubles tempt me to
Go far away and take my ease like other debtors do.

FANCIES.

A fellow must be quite taken with a girl when they are photographed together.—[Philadelphia Record.

It isn't every man who can hit the nail on the head as easily as he can the nail on the finger.—[Philadelphia Record.

"Dear me, it's so hard to buy for a man."

"Yes, I hate to spend the money that way, too."—[Detroit Free Press.

Mr Johnes—That hat cost $75? Great heavens. It's a sin.

Mrs. Johnes—You needn't worry. The sin will be on my head.—[Judge.

Bix—See here, what do you mean by going around telling people I am a first class idiot?

Dix—I didn't say first-class.—[Boston Transcript.

"I shall always keep the memory of your affection, sir—"

"Oh, don't keep it please, I would rather you return it."—[Baltimore American.

Judge—Have you ever seen the prisoner at the bar?

Witness—Never, your honor; but I've seen him when I've strongly suspected he'd been at it.—[Boston Transcript.

"They tell me that it is imagination that keeps the doctors busy," said the patient.

"I guess that's right," replied the physician. "I'm kept busy making out bills which I foolishly imagine are going to be paid some day."—[Yonkers Statesman.

"Some of your constituents are disagreeing with you," said the trusted lieutenant.

"Well, keep tab on them," replied Senator Sorghum; "when enough disagree with me to constitute a reliable majority I'm going to turn around and agree with them."—[Washington Star.

NAVAL ORDERS AND MOVEMENTS.

The Navy Department announces the following orders to officers:

Commander Cleland Davis, placed on waiting orders.

Lieutenant Commander J. J. Raby, detached from the command of the Supply and ordered to temporary duty on the receiving ship at Mare Island.

Lieutenants L. C. Furley and A. B. Cook, detached from the Louisiana and ordered to duty as aides on the staff of the commander of the Fourth division, Atlantic fleet.

Lieutenant (junior grade) A. H. Douglas, detached from the Mayflower and ordered to the Buffalo.

Lieutenant (junoir grade) T. A. Thompson, Jr., ordered to duty as aide on the staff of the commander of the First division, Atlantic fleet.

Ensign Sherwood Picking, detached from the North Dakota and ordered to the Asiatic station.

Passed Assistant Surgeon P. R. Stalnaker, detached from the Prairie and ordered to treatment at the naval hospital, New York.

Passed Assistant Surgeon E. L. Woods, ordered to temporary duty at Indian Head, Md.

Passed Assistant Paymaster Brantz Mayer, ordered to the torpedo flotilla, Atlantic fleet.

Paymaster's Clerk G. C. Tasker, appointed for duty on the Raleigh.

Paymaster's Clerk Andrew Gaffney, placed on the retired list, from January 31, 1914, after 30 years' service, and ordered home.

The following movements of vessels are reported:

Arrived—Jupiter at San Francisco, Buffalo at Corinto.

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BUSINESS SLOWING DOWN.

Business is undoubtedly slowing down. While this is most apparent in the steel trade, it is visible in many other lines. The volume of trade has hardly diminished at all. The daily consumption of the nation has not been visibly touched in most lines, and that is enough to keep most of the wheels turning, but the future is looked forward to without much confidence, and indeed with a good deal of apprehension.

Of course the first explanations offered relate to political action. It is the tariff, and the currency bill, and the attitude of the President and Congress toward big business, and all that sort of thing. These have something to do with it, but somebody in New York has been canvassing the situation with 10,000 business men scattered all over the country, and in discussing some of the results of this the New York Journal of Commerce says the dullness of business extends to other countries and, in fact, is more marked abroad than here. That doesn't look as if anything going on in Washington could be the cause of the slowing down of business. Furthermore, the slowing down is most marked, where it began, in the iron and steel trade, whose large exports show it to be more independent of tariff changes than any other leading industry. Thirty-two Chicago employers have laid off more than 5,000 men. Only four lines of business represented by them are mentioned. Of these lake ship building and the breweries can hardly be affected by anything the administration and Congress have said or proposed.

The dullness of the steel trade is explained by the increasing operating expenses of the railroads, which oblige them to curtail buying. The same thing indirectly explains the slowing down among the agricultural implement makers, who are large consumers of iron and steel and are buying lightly now because iron and steel prices are declining on account of the railroad situation, and if they continue to decline the men who make farm implements and machinery can buy cheaper after a while than they can now. Evidently politics has very little to do with the dullness of business.

PROHIBITED NOISES.

What a peaceful place a German city or town must be in which to reside! According to the criminal code of that country any one who causes a disturbance of public order is punishable by a fine or imprisonment and the law defines so many noises as against the peace of the public that almost nothing can be done which will in any way disturb the quiet of the people. The legal requirements do not apply when a single individual or a small group of persons is disturbed, but only when the public in general is annoyed in this manner. The latter term, however, is construed to apply to a number of families living in the same house, to pupils of a public school, or an gathering in either a public or a private capacity. When such an assembly is disturbed by a barking dog, a cackling hen, a crowing rooster, or any other noise of that general nature, the owner of the offending animal or fowl is liable to punishment. There are many in this country who would be benefited if such a law were in force here, so that disturbances of this kind could be stopped easily and effectually.

In Berlin the ordinances supplementing the general law go still farther and prohibit the playing of music or the crying of wares by hucksters or newspaper venders in the streets, unless permission is obtained from the police to do so. The carrying through the streets of articles such as chains or other metal objects is not allowed unless they are so packed as to be noiseless while in transport. Such provisions would seem too severe in this country, and yet no one is unaware of the suffering often caused to the sick and nervous and the annoyance felt by many who are not really ill because of such noises as those prohibited under these Berlin ordinances. Probably the time is not yet ripe for the adoption and enforcement of such stringent regulations in this country, but they are in the right direction and it may not be long before they will be common all over the civilized world, on the ground of providing for the good of the largest number.

Still more severe laws are just coming into force in Berlin, which require police permission not only for playing music in the streets but also in buildings if it can be heard in the streets, so that it is necessary to have all doors and windows closed tight, to keep the sound in. Lour singing, whistling and bell ringing are also forbidden on the streets; even the beating of carpets or clothing in open windows or on balconies connected with the streets is prohibited, and vehicles without springs must be driven slowly in order to make as little noise as possible. After reading this list of things which one cannot do in Berlin in the way of making noises, one wonders what is done there about the handling of coal and other articles, and about the street cars, which in this country grind out blood-curdling shrieks and moans when the brakes are applied or they pass around curves. Do they not have such noises there, or has their prohibition been overlooked in the list of forbidden noises?

There seem to be unnecessary prohibitions in this category of noises, and yet there is a lesson for the people of this country as to what might be done in a less stringent way to reduce noises, and thus contribute more to the quiet and comfort of the people. It is not necessary to go so far as the Germans have gone, but it is possible to go part way in that direction with pleasing results. A city or town without all the noises prohibited in Berlin would be a very quiet place as compared with an American municipality, but would not for that reason be a dull place or one with business at all hampered by these restrictions. When the list of forbidden noises is studied carefully it will be seen that there is no prohibition which interferes seriously with business. The omission of these noises simply makes life easier and less strenuous, and does not affect work or pleasure in an unreasonable manner. It would be well if American cities and towns would try at least a part of the German program of noise prohibition.

RURAL CREDIT.

Is it not possible that under the influence of the large vote cast by farmers and of the prevailing passion for doing something for somebody the need of rural credits is over-estimated? President Taft began it, and of course President Wilson made a good deal of it. He is the head of the Democratic party, whose mission it is to save the country from the Republican party, which is of course dominated by "the interests." The farmer has been told by everybody that everybody else, especially the Money Power, is down on him, and of course it is incumbent on him to rescue the poor downtrodden farmer.

If we look at the expansion of agriculture in this country we cannot pretend that it has done badly. The farmer seems to have made a success of it. With all the banks there are in the country seeking business and the authorization of small rural national banks, and the state and private banks in small towns previously existing, does it seem probable that solvent farmers, whose credit is good at the store and who are farming on a large enough scale to make the extension of credit necessary, have been unable to obtain loans? Many bankers have been interviewed on this point and have declared that farmers have been able to borrow the money they needed in their business on as good terms as merchants. If they were borrowing for the purchase of additional land, which is what they generally do, they might very properly give a mortgage to secure a part of the purchase money.

The farmers of the South used to buy supplies in the spring on credit and deliver their cotton in the fall to discharge their debt, and they may have been shaved, but of late years we hear little of this. The Southern farmers have been growing rich on cotton, and they raise more corn and buy less, so that on both sides of the transaction they are pretty independent now; they are no longer the serfs of the country merchant, as they have often been described as being. It is just possible that the farmers do not need to be fostered and have credit institutions created for their benefit, as the highly philanthropic President Wilson imagines.

The railroad commissioners of Massachusetts, reporting on the proposition of the Boston & Maine railroad to raise its rates, declares that its members are clearly of the opinion "that there should be a substantial advance now, provided that such additional revenue can be obtained without imposing upon the public unjust and unreasonable transportation charges, and provided further that some assurance can be given that the money will be prudently expended in the public interest." "The question therefore comes: Can the rates be raised without imposing upon the public rates which the public will think are "unjust and unreasonable charges?"

The Senate Democrats are planning desperate measures to force final action on the currency bill this week, so that it can reach the President before Christmas. Continuous sessions are proposed until the opposition is exhausted and an agreement reached for a vote. Then will come the conference between the two branches of Congress, for which at least three days will be necessary, and the final agreement early next week, so that the bill can be in the President's hands and signed before the holiday recess. This is the plan, but there is no certainty that it can be fully carried out.

Under a monopoly the New York fire department has been paying from $75 to $175 each for alarm boxes and was apparently destined to pay that price until the patents run out. Now, however, two of the chiefs have invented a new box which will cost but $45 and have offered the apparatus to the city without royalty. It is expected that New York will install a new fire alarm telegraph system of 15,000 boxes within the next five years and there is a prospect, with the new apparatus, of saving about $1,200,000.

The island of Crete, which has been under the protectorate of Great Britain, Russia, France and Italy since 1898, is now formally annexed to Greece and a port of that country. The formal annexation was carried out with imposing ceremonial, King Constantine personally hoisting the Greek flag over the fort and thanksgiving services being held in the cathedral and synagogue. The island has long been a bone of contention and Greece has finally won its possession, undisputed even by Turkey.

It is reported from Washington that the "little navy" men in Congress have come to the conclusion that they cannot prevent the adoption of Secretary Daniels two-battleship program. They are disappointed at the failure of the Hensley "naval holiday" resolution to stir up sentiment in favor of one vessel or to eliminate battleships entirely from the program. The "naval holiday" resolution apparently means little or nothing when it comes to definite action.

Chocolate rations, long the mainstay of the army as an emergency diet, have been barred by Secretary of War Garrison from future supply contracts. It is admitted that chocolate has nutritive value, but the Agricultural Department has reported that it is "defective as to digestibility and therefore deleterious to the health of its consumers."

Now it is proposed to limit the number of telegrams which a member of Congress may send at government expense under the guise of "official business." A resolution introduced in the House provides that no member shall send more than $40 worth of free telegrams a year. Doubtless that is enough.

Official figures show that the average length of life in Providence has increased more than 13 years since 1860, from 24.77 to 37.89. If people can live as long as that in Providence, what can they not do in the more healthful parts of the state, like Newport?

George Washington died 114 years ago today.

NEW HAVEN STOCKHOLDERS.

"Poor's Handbook for Investors," 1913-1914 edition, gives a list of 108 institutions, insurance companies, savings banks, etc., mostly in New England, that are New Haven stockholders. The most important in the list are:

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Aetna Life Insurance Co., Hartford	306,900
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Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Co., Hartford	232,800
Farmers' Loan and Trust Co., New York	118,750
Hartford County Mutual Fire Insurance Co.	147,000
Hartford Fire Insurance Co.	400,000
Home Insurance Co., New York	250,000
Industrial Trust Co., Providence	278,000
Mutual Life Insurance Co., New York	3,534,000
New England Mutual Life Insurance Co., Boston	318,100
New Hampshire Savings Bank, Concord	100,000
Phoenix Insurance Co., Hartford	375,000
Rhode Island Hospital Trust Co., Providence	300,000
Savings Bank of New London	166,200
Society for Savings, Hartford	110,900
Springfield Fire Marine Insurance Co., Springfield, Mass	600,000
State Mutual Life Assurance Co., Worcester, Mass.	142,000
Travellers' Insurance Co., Hartford	360,000
Union Mutual Life Insurance Co., Portland, Me.	187,900
United States Casualty Co., New York	100,000

CYPRESS.

[Springfield Republican.]

The problem of forest conservation is complicated as respects the cypress swamps, and the forestry bureau has sent an examiner to make a special study of the Atlantic and Gulf coasts for the purpose of determining whether part of the land now covered by cypress would not yield a greater profit if drained and given over to agriculture. But this is only half the problem, for when the cypress is cut it sometimes does not reappear, and the government does not yet know the best method of reproduction. Cypress is a valuable wood for many purposes, and in any reclamation plans an adequate supply must be provided for.

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MIDDLETOWN.

Archdeacon Spurr and Mr. Eaton Talk of the Poor Whites of the South.

[Regular correspondence of The News]

The Venerable R. P. Spurr, archdeacon at Middleborough, W. Va., was the preacher at the morning service at St. Columba, the Berkeley Memorial Chapel, Sunday. He is an Englishman and had his first experience on the plains among the frontiersmen, later was in Dakota and finally was established at Moundsville, W. Va., where he was chaplain in the state penitentiary for 26 years. His work among the poor white people of that section was so strongly on his heart that he decided to tell of them and their condition in preference to presenting a sermon. The large congregation was much stirred by his earnestness and the pathetic incidents of thesee poor and ignorant people. The beginnings of Trinity Institute and the hospital which the archdeacon has had built were graphically told, also the good which they are accomplishing. Rev. Latta Griswold celebrated the Holy Communion, assisted by Rev. John B. Diman.

In the evening, at the Berkeley parish house, Mr. Philip Eaton, a master at St. George's School, gave an illustrated lecture on "The Poor Whites of the Mountains of Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina, Tennessee and Kentucky." About 115 slides were shown. As Mr. Eaton spent some time in the South during the past summer, he was able to add bits of his personal experience in this mountainous region. The latter part of the slides presented parts of the work of Archdeacon Spurr, showing Trinity Institute and Hospital.

Mr. Eaton conducted the religious service which preceded the lecture, in the absence of Rev. Mr. Griswold. Mr. Robert W. Hughes, musical director at the school, acted as pianist.

As the school closes December 19, there will be an omission of the lectures until January 11, as the young men from St. George's operate the lanterns.

At the session of the Sunday School at the Methodist Episcopal Church Sunday afternoon certificates and pins for perfect attendance for the year were awarded by the pastor, Rev E. E. Wells, to the following children: Esther Wells Harris, Parker and Priscilla Peckham, as the Sunday before had been Missionary Sunday, when it is customary to divide the offering for missionary purposes, and the day had been too stormy for regular services, the offering was so divided yesterday.

Rev. Mr. Wells preached in the afternoon on "The Christian Conflict," the overwhelming creed of the present day.

Several persons have picked a number of dandelions in blossom during the past few days.

The Christmas festival of the churches of St. Mary's and Holy Cross will be held jointly, December 27, at the Holy Cross Guild House. This will be the first occasion here of this kind, as the combined churches have usually met at St. Mary's Church.

The members of the Methodist Episcopal Church are to assist in preparing the Christmas greens at the church Wednesday evening and help in the decorating. The Ladies' Aid will hold a New England supper previous to the evening's work, and as a conclusion of their afternoon meeting.

Worthy State Master Joseph A. Peckham is to install the officers of Portsmouth Grange at its next meeting.

At the close of the session of the Sunday School at the Berkeley Memorial Chapel two young children were baptized by Rev. Latta Griswold.

PORTSMOUTH.

Rev. Mr. Whybrew Speaks to Large Gathering at Open-Air Meeting.

[Regular correspondence of The News]

The preacher at the Friends' church Sunday morning, Rev. Mr. Whybrew, spoke from Proverbs VIII:4. Mr. Edward B. Ayler sang a solo, "The Wanderer," his sons, Emerson and Ray Ayler, joining in the chorus. In the evening the whole house was thrown open and about filled. The choir of the Methodist Episcopal Church sang "Lord, It is I!" and Mr. Edward Sheddington from the Christian Church sang "Thou Blessed Rock of Ages."

Rev. Mr. Whybrew preached from Genesis III:9: "Where Art Thou?" Mrs. Richard R. Macomber sang "The Judgment Day," by request.

Saturday evening, the open-air meeting held in Newtown village called out a gathering of about 100, which included a number of women. Rev. Mr. Whybrew spoke largely on the subject, "It is appointed for a man once to die." There was good singing by the crowd. Respectful attention was maintained and quiet prevailed. Adjournment was then had to Frank R. Tallman's liquor shop, where addresses were made in front of the place, the proprietor requesting them not to interfere with his business inside.

Rev. Anson B. Howard, rector of St. Paul's, preachd to a large congregation Sunday morning. The collection was for diocesan missions.

At the Methodist Episcopal Church Rev. John Wadsworth Sunday morning preached to a large congregation from Matthew IX:9. The Sunday School had an attendance of 66.

Rev. Albert Loucks, pastor of the Christian Church, preached Sunday morning from Psalms I:3.

The worshippers at the Methodist and the Christian churches attended the evangelistic services at the Friends in the evening, neither being opened.

Mr. John Sherman, who died at the town farm Saturday, was about 70 years of age, and had been living there two or three years. Previous to that time he had worked as a farm hand for 30 years for Mr. Benjamin S. Anthony of the West road. But little is known here of his relatives, except that he was a son of John Sherman of Newport and had a brother in the Civil war, who was taken into the Soldiers' Home in Bristol, where he died several years ago, and was brought to the Portsmouth cemetery for burial.

Mrs. Ida Smith Almy, wife of William L. Almy, who died at her home on Fogland road, Tiverton, was with her husband and daughters a resident of Portsmouth for several years, going from this town to Tiverton. She had been ill since last spring with a cough, but not apparently a serious one. A few weeks ago she had pneumonia, which developed into tuberculosis. Mrs. George G. Hart of this town was with her the last week of her illness. She belonged before her marriage in Wickford and is survived by her husband and two daughters, Annie and Viola, and several brothers and sisters.

Saturday afternoon the Junior Auxiliary held its monthly mothers' meeting. An hour was spent in the musical training of the children, followed by an address by Mrs. Thornley of Providence on the Women's united offering for missions. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. C. W. Chase has gone to Worcester, where she will be guest for the winter of Mrs. Moen. Her physician and Miss Fannie Smith accompanied her.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Friend's Church met at the parsonage with Mrs. James M. Estes for the monthly meeting. The attendance was small, but the tying of a comforter was accomplished. Instead of continuing the meeting during the evening, adjournment was had to the church to attend the revival service.

GLOW WORMS KEEP BRILLIANCY.

[Henri Fabre, in the Century.]

I fire a gun beside a wire gauze cage in which I am rearing my menagerie of female glow worms in the open air. The explosion produces no result. The illumination continues, as bright and placid as before. I take a spray and rain down a slight shower of cold water upon the flock. Not one of my animals puts out its light; at the very most, there is a brief pause in the radiance, and then only in some cases. I send a puff of smoke from my pipe into the cage. This time the pause is more marked. There are even some extinctions; but these do not last long. Calm soon returns, and the light is renewed, as bright as ever. I take some of the captives in my fingers, turn and return them, tease them a little. The illumination continues and is not much diminished, if I do not press too hard with my thumb. At this period, with the paling close at hand, the insect is in all the fervor of its passionate splendor; and nothing short of very serious reason would make it extinguish its signals.

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THE WEATHER.

BOSTON, Dec. 15.—Forecast for Boston and vicinity—Fair tonight and Tuesday; light westerly winds.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Forecast for southern New England—Fair tonight and Tuesday; moderate westerly winds.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Forecast for northern New England—Fair tonight and Tuesday; rising temperature; moderate west and southwest winds.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

The weather is clear today in the Northeastern and Middle Atlantic states and in the far West. There is considerable cloudiness in Southern districts and the central valleys, and on the North Pacific slope. Light showers have occurred during the past 24 hours in the Central and eastern Gulf states, elsewhere there has been no precipitation of consequence. The barometric pressure is above normal except along the Northern border and in the extreme Southwest. The temperature is near the seasonal average in all portions of the country, having fallen considerably in the Northeast. It is below in all Northern and Eastern states, and in the West as far south as central Texas and southern Arizona. The lowest reported this morning in New England was 8 degree, at Greenville, Maine. In New York city at 8 a. m. it was 32, Boston 30, Washington 32, New Orleans 50, St. Louis, 42, Chicago 38, St. Paul 38, Bismarck 30, Des Moines 36, Kansas City 32, Denver 28, Salt Lake City 34, San Francisco 46 and Portland, Oregon 44. There will be no marked change in weather, temperature or wind conditions in this vicinity during the next 36 hours.

NO COLD WAVE THIS WEEK.

No indications of a cold wave to cross the country this coming week can be seen at present. Continuation of temperatures near or above the seasonal average is predicted, with precipitation generally light and local over most of the country.

The next disturbance of importance to cross the country will appear in the far West today or Tuesday, and pass thence along the northern border to the St. Lawrence valley by Thursday. It will be attended by rains and snows in the Northern states.

Another disturbance will develop over the western plateau Thursday or Friday, and prevail over the middle West at the close of the week.

LOCAL CONDITIONS.

	8 h	12 h	8 h
Temperature	33	36	39
Barometer	30.18	——	Rising
Wind	N W	N W	N W
Weather	Clear	F	Fair

MINIATURE CALENDAR.

Monday, December 15.
Sun rises 7:05 sets 4:15
Moon rises 6:06 p. m.
Day's length 9:10 decrease 6:04
High water 8:35 a. m., 9:10 p. m.

Tuesday, December 16.
Sun rises 7:06 sets 4:15
Moon rises 7:17 p. m.
Day's length 9:09 decrease 6:05

Moon's Phases.
Last quarter, Dec. 20th, 11:15 a. m.
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Daniel E. Sullivan.
PHONE 665.

Estate of John LaFarge.

The undersigned hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed by the Probate Court of the City of Newport commissioner on the Estate of John LaFarge, late of said Newport, deceased, which estate has been represented insolvent, to examine and determine the claims of the creditors of said estate, which have been disallowed by the Executrix, and that now having been duly qualified according to law to act as such he has appointed Tuesday, December 30th, 1913, at 2 o'clock P. M. as the time, and Room No. 312 Grosvenor Building, 10 Weybosset Street, Providence, R. I., as the place, and such other times and places to which said meeting may be from time to time adjourned, of meeting said creditors for the purpose of hearing and determining said claims. Creditors of said estate whose claims have been disallowed are therefore hereby required to present their claims and such evidence as they may have in support thereof at the above mentioned time and place.

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DIED.

COTTON—In this city, suddenly, 13th inst., Captain Joseph P. Cotton.
Funeral services at the United Congregational Church, Tuesday, Dec. 16, at 2 o'clock.
SPINOLA—In Middletown, 14th inst., at the residence of his parents, West Main road, George, son of Frank and Emilie Spinola.
RHODES—In Providence, 14th inst., George Anthony Rhodes, in his 93d year.
PEARY—In Providence, 13th inst., Elizabeth Patstone, wife of Stephen R. Peary, in her 74th year.
READ—In Providence, 14th inst., H. Frank Read.
SCHOFIELD—In Auburn, 13th inst., William A. Schofield.
FULLAM—In Woonsocket, 14th inst., Ellen, wife of Dennis Fullam.
BROWN—In Fall River, 13th inst., James Brown.
BELL—In Fall River, 13th inst., James Bell.

Estate of John S. Langley, Undertaking.

All persons or estates indebted to the Estate of John S. Langley will kindly make payment of their several accounts at the earliest possible date, to Alfred G. Langley, Executor, 1 School street, Newport, R. I., as the business is being closed up.

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TODAY'S FUNERALS.

For Morris M. Curley, Daniel Morrison and Miss Durfee.

The funeral of Morris M. Curley took place this morning from his late residence on Rhode Island avenue to St. Joseph's Church, where a solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated by the pastor, Rev. Father Higney, assisted by Father O'Rourke as deacon and Father McLaughlin as sub-deacon. Within the sanctuary were gathered about 20 priests, including Monsignor T. F. Doran, vicar general of the diocese; Monsignor Cassidy of the Fall River diocese, Father Meenan of St. Mary's and Father Roddy of St. Augustin's. At the conclusion of the mass the service for the dead was read by Father Higney, assisted by the other two priests of the parish. The musical service was by Mrs. Girr-Burkinshaw, Miss Morris and Messrs. MacDonald and Girr, Professor MacDonald accompanying.

There was a large gathering of friends and former business associates to pay the last tribute to one who was liked by all. Newport Council, Knights of Columbus, acted as escort for the body to the cemetery, where the service at the grave was conducted by Monsignor T. F. Doran, vicar general, an old personal friend. The bearers were Andrew K. Quinn, M. A. McCormick, Philip F. Conroy, Henry F. Rooney, Arthur P. Jennings, J. H. Phelan, James T. O'Connell and M. Durnan.

The funeral of Daniel Morrison took place this afternon from his late residence on Malbone road, and was largely attended by his associates in the Boston Store and the First Presbyterian Church, with which he had been connected for many years. Rev. Nathaniel J. Sproul, pastor of the Presbyterian church, officiated, reading appropriate Scripture selections, offering prayer and making a short address.

The interment was in the Braman cemetery, the bearers being Mr. David C. Caesar, from the Boston Store, and Messrs. Hugh Williamson, John A. Forbes, James Matson, Alexander Maciver and Neil McLennan, members of the session of the First Presbyterian Church.

The funeral of Miss Elizabeth B. Durfee was held this noon from her brother's residence on Gibbs avenue. The services, conducted by Rev. William Safford Jones of the Channing Memorial Church, were of a very simple character. The interment was in the Old cemetery. There were no bearers.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—The City Hall has received its winter storm sash.

—Mr. Daniel J. Coffey announces his candidacy for plumbing inspector.

—Captain Tom Shea announces that he is to be again candidate for harbor master.

—George G. Wilson and not George S. Wilson has announced his candidacy for building inspector.

—Miss Margaret Best, who spent the week-end with Miss Agnes Fraser on Ochre Point avenue, returned to her home in Bristol today.

—The Christmas entertainment of the First Methodist Episcopal Sunday School has been arranged for Tuesday evening, December 30.

—The Adams Express Company had a private horse car in Sunday afternoon, with the horses from "Oakland Farm", shown in Boston.

—Captain and Mrs. W. L. Rodgers left this afternoon for New York. Captain Rodgers has just completed his term at the War College and goes to command the Delaware.

—Captain Tom Shea had a gunning party up the bay recently after ducks. The bay was found well deserted by louts, but the ducks were not so numerous as in years past. Still the party did fairly well.

—Mr. Joseph S. Anthony of Middletown presented the News today with a bunch of dandelion blossoms picked on his farm this morning. He will be 81 years old in March, and remembers nothing to equal this.

—The owners of the Stone Bridge House do not propose to have another fright of the same kind they had a week ago, for there will be no chance for sparks to do business there. The big steep roof is now being slated.

—The fishermen are doing something, even if the price of fish is high. Sunday C. B. Anderson had 30 barrels and the Seaconnet River Oyster Company 31; today C. B. Anderson had 60 barrels and a shark and the Seaconnet River 30 barrels and a shark.

—J. B. Parsonage & Son have sold for George Gordon King lot 1, plat 2, Wilbur Farm tract, bounded north on lot 19, 125 feet; east on Roseneath avenue, 40 feet; south on and of John E. and Mary A. McGough, 125 feet, and west on land of Livingston Mason, trustee, 40 feet, to John F. Hayes.

—It almost seemed like summer-time Sunday at the Two Mile Corner, where a great number of automobiles had the road smoothed down to a summer Sunday form. A large number of machines of Massachusetts register came over the road with parties, and many local owners of machines were also out.

—The organizers and original directors of the Newport Street Railway Company were Jacius D. Davis, A. C. Titus, Joseph P. Cotton, Gardner B. Reynolds, Darius Baker, Anthony S. Sherman, T. T. Pitman, and J. Truman Burdick. The death of Captain Cotton leaves but two of this list now living.

—The Newport delegation did not see the test of the Robinson pumper at New Bedford Saturday, for the reason that they did not take the precaution to learn if it was on before starting. The test started at 7 and at 8 the machine broke a coupling, while the party left here at 10. The run over, though, was fine, as the day was perfect for it.

—Manager Rugen of the Opera House this morning received positive assurance from New York that William A. Brady's production of "Bought and Paid For" will be presented here Saturday, December 27. This play was booked some time ago for that time, but later the date was cancelled, and the local management stopped the allotment of seats. This morning's information from New York changes matters and the reserving of seats will be resumed.

—There has been a noticeable change in the temperature since Sunday, when the weather conditions were ideal, though there was some wind and a little haze. The wind this morning had worked around to the northwest and while the temperature did not drop very low it felt chilly. At 8 this morning the temperature was at 33, 5 degrees below Sunday's figure; at noon it was 12 degrees below, and at 2 p. m. 11 below. It felt much more.

ANOTHER NON-SUIT DENIED.

Court Directs Verdict for Fritz, for Possession in Barrel Barn Case.

Donovan Claimed to be Paying for the Structure According to the Agreement.

Judge Brown resumed the trial of the case of John P. Fritz vs. John J. Donovan in the superior court this morning.

Mr. Levy called Deputy Sheriff DeBlois, who testified that May 19, 1913, he served notice, a copy of which was produced, on defendant, to vacate the house at 40 Channing street and the "barrel barn," on Albro street, by July 1, 1913, or he would be evicted.

Mr. Levy rested.

Mr. Sullivan had a motion and, the jury being sent out, he asked a nonsuit, alleging that defendant had not received proper notice to quit. He argued that the first "notice," printed on the typewriter, is the "original" required by law, and the officer is not able to say that the paper he served was the "original." Mr. Levy replied that the return and the evidence show that the officer served the notice and kept a copy, which is produced.

Mr. Nolan, who was associated with Mr. Levy, suggested that on a count for rent due, the case is good. The court thought this a properly taken point, and that no notice need be shown. Also, the court said, if several copies are struck off, each is an original. Had a notice been left with the officer, and he kept it, and made a copy which he marked as a copy and served, that would have been an unlawful notice.

Non-suit was denied, and the jury re-called.

Mr. Sullivan then explained the defense to the jury, and called defendant to the stand. The latter said that in the spring of 1908 he agreed that Mr. Fritz build a barrel-barn for him. Messrs. Levy and Nolan objected. Mr. Sullivan claimed that any defense might be shown. The court said this is not denying anything alleged by plaintiff; it is practically admitting what plaintiff claims, and setting up an independent defense.

Defendant said it was arranged that he should pay $22 a month and 6½ per cent on the cost. He sent his check for the last month's use of the barn and the check was returned. He has paid the taxes until this year, when Mr. Fritz did not send his bill for tax and water rates, including this year. He never received a bill for rent or use of the barn. Witness examined a number of bills, in which, as one item, he had paid the $22 each month, but not as rent.

To the court, defendant said he was to pay $22 a month until he had paid $3800. He had no written agreement; the arrangement was verbal.

To Mr. Nolan, defendant said he was paying 6½ per cent; seven per cent had been demanded, but after dickering it was agreed to be 6½. Defendant said that by note and check he had paid plaintiff $3851. Mr. Nolan demanded the note. Mr. Sullivan did not care to produce it. The court said he could do as he liked about it. He produced the note and Mr. Nolan asked about receiving $1800. This point was finally dropped.

Robert Wolfenden testified that he built the barrel-barn and saw Fritz deliver the key to Donovan. Fritz paid for the barn. The floor was not strong enough to hold the wagon, and, for Donovan, witness did work on the floor.

Dennis J. Sullivan, employed by Donovan for several years, testified as to the handing over of the key.

Defendant rested.

Mr. Nolan re-called plaintiff and asked him about the note for $2,150. He said the note was to secure loans of money to Donovan, $1,300 of which went to Donovan's father. Asked for checks to show the loans, there was objection, but the court said go on.

Plaintiff rested.

Mr. Sullivan argued for defendant from 12:13. It is an action of trespass and ejectment to regain possession of the barrel barn. Mr. Sullivan spoke about 10 minutes, as did Mr. Nolan, and, a recess to 2:30 was ordered.

At 2:45 the court directed a verdict for the plaintiff, Fritz, for possession.

ROGERS ADOPTS PLAN.

Decides to Enter Tri-Interscholastic Debating Contest.

A meeting of the Rogers High School Lyceum was held this afternoon to consider the proposition for a tri-interscholastic debate between the English High School of Providence, East Greenwich Academy and Rogers. It was decided to enter into the agreement and plans will be made at once. It is proposed that each institution visit one other for the debates English High to come to Newport, East Greenwich Academy to go to Providence, and Rogers to go to East Greenwich.

President Ivan S. Coggeshall went over the proposed rules in detail and they were all adopted. There are to be three principals and one alternate on each team, the principals to have 10 minutes each and one speaker in reuttal 10 minutes. There will be three judges for each debate. Each school is to provide entertainment for the visiting team.

NO FORMAL CEREMONIES.

Admiral Knight President of War College as Well as Station Commander.

Rear Admiral Austin M. Knight, commandant of the Naval Station Narragansett bay, assumed his additional duty as president of the Naval War College this morning without formal ceremony. He relieved Captain William L. Rodgers, who has been president of the College since November 10, 1911. By this arrangement of official duties a return is made to the system which prevailed while Rear Almiral Raymond P. Rodgers was in command of the Naval Station and also president of the Naval War College.

Captain Rodgers left today for New York and will assume command of battleship Delaware when that vessel arrives from Europe. The Delaware is convoying the disabled Vermont to Norfolk, and will proceed from there to New York to join the other vessels of the first division.

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TWO WATERY RESCUES.

Police in the Life Saving Service; Boys Returned to Their Homes.

Two watery rescues were put to the credit of the police recently. Early Saturday night Officer Gregory and the fishermen who were about Hammett's wharf had a rather exciting time rescuing a big dog which had fallen overboard between Perry Mill wharf and the wharf of the Newport Coal Company, and showed an ugly disposition by biting ropes. Finally, however, the rescue party hauled him out.

Sunday afternoon about 4 the captain of barge Toby Ann, at anchor in the harbor, called at the station and reported that a man from the barge was overboard. Officers Sugrue and Watson were assigned to the case and enlisting George Davis and his motor boat they found the missing man between Long wharf and the Torpedo Station. He had drifted away in the barges tender, fell overboard twice, and crawled back on board, and it was a question when the police reached him if he would next fall overboard or to the bottom of the tender. He was brought to the station and stripped of his wet clothing, which was hung up to dry and he was placed in a room where he could rest. This morning his clothes being dry, he was sent on board the barge. Sergeant Leary acted as superintendent of the life saving service for this rescue.

The police had two non-support cases before the court Sunday morning. One man was surrendered by the probation officer for not meeting his obligations and was again placed on probation on agreeing to pay up. The other was charged with not supporting his child, and was placed on probation on agreeing to do so. A man for assault paid $10 and costs, one for using profane language $7.60 and two for drunkenness $4.60 each. One charged with sleeping out plead ed not guilty and in default of bail went to jail.

Officer Palmer brought in a 19 year-old youth who was wanted by the Fall River police. He agreed to return home and Inspector Shea came down in the afternoon and took him. There was another boy, aged 15, who came from Roxbury to enlist in the navy, but was too young. His father wanted him back, the police gathered him in and the father came and took him home.

Officer Palmer has gone to New York on the extradition case for the bumboat man.

It was so pleasant Saturday night that several shop keepers neglected to secure their doors and the police had to take a hand.

ON THE OPERA HOUSE BILL

Helen Gardner, in "A Sister to Carmen," now on at the Opera House, portrays the part of a wilful maid in a creditable manner. The story revolves about a man who smuggles goods, and meeting with an accident sends Miss Gardner, who plays the part of Margo, to attend to his work. She is caught, and the succession of incidents which follow are startling. Florence Lawrence, in "The Influence of Sympathy," plays into the heart of the people, taking the part of a mother in a pleasing manner. "The Bond That Binds" is another feature of Western life. "Roaring Bill," a Eclair comedy, and "Lazy Louie," a Joker comedy, make the bill complete.

AS GOOD AS "EVANGELINE" OF "HIAWATHA."

In the picture recital of Longfellow's poem, "Miles Standish," which Rev. A. T. Kempton will present at the First Baptist Church Tuesday evening the 150 views of the Puritans on "the Wild New England Shore" give a fine conception of the occurrence around historic Plymouth. Both eye and ear are charmed and the quaint humor of the poem, with its thrilling and dramatic situations, makes a pleasant and profitable evening.

This will in all probability be the last opportunity to see and hear one of these photo recitals. Mr. Kempton's "Evangeline" and "Hiawatha" have been presented here and his "Miles Standish" is said to be as good as either.

OUT OF THE HOSPITAL.

Saturday Corporal Enos Titcomb was discharged from the Newport Hospital, thus leaving but three of the typhoid patients—Surgeon Barker, Adjutant Braley and Sergeant Major Dawley. These fine days are excellent for the men who are at home, recuperating, as they permit them to be out and taking the air. Ex-Senator J. P. Sanborn and Colnel Frank P. King sauntered along Thames street this morning and received a number of ovations as they hobbled about with canes. Both report that they are gaining steadily in strength and are feeling fine. Dr. Barker still in the hospital, is also improving and regaining strength.

JAMESTOWN.

[Regular correspondence of The News]

Mr. Nicholas Carr of Providence spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Carr, on the Shore road.

Mrs. F. P. Greene of Philadelphia was on the island Sunday, to inspect her summer cottage on the Dumplings.

Admiral and Mrs. Taussig will close their cottage on Shoreby hill today and leave for Washington for the winter.

Miss Susie Brooks of Providence was guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brooks, on Clinton avenue, Sunday.

Miss A. E. Barber is confined to her home on Narragansett avenue by sickness.

Mr. J. B. Bergman and a party crossed the Island Sunday in his automobile.

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MANY SEALS SOLD.

Anti-Tuberculosis Society May Need Another Supply Before Christmas.

The Newport Anti-Tuberculosis Society received at the beginning 100,000 Red Cross Christmas seals, and has already distributed 80,000 to shops, school children, Boy Scouts and various organizations. This morning Miss Ackerley, the secretary, received requests for 500 additional from the Thayer school and 400 from Calvert. It seems quite possible that additional supply must be secured from headquarters before Christmas. At the postoffice Saturday 1,005 seals were sold during the day and evening. The Misses Perrin were in charge during the morning, Misses Fletcher and Speers in the afternoon and Boy Scouts Benton C. Decker, William B. Fletcher, Jr., John Aller and Ralph Wood in the evening. The day's sales numbered 660, and the evening 345.

Today Mrs. J. R. Lorah, Miss Marian G. Dowling and Miss Ida Curry are in charge and this evening troop of Tiger patrol of Boy Scouts, Emery Lewis patrol leader, will be on duty.

A new anti-tuberculosis film, from the Edison Company, is being shown this week in one of the local moving picture theatres and will be found to present information about quack remedies which it is well for all to know now.

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Second Christmas Entertainment by Cloyne House School Club.

The Social Service Club of Cloyne House School, composed of members of the faculty and students, gave its second Christmas entertainment in the gymnasium Saturday afternoon. Tickets had been sent to children living in the vicinity and in the Point section of the city, and fully 300 responded to the invitations. As more than that number presented themselves all were welcomed and permitted to share in the pleasures of the afternoon.

First there were games and sports for trophies, and later a curtain was raised, disclosing on the stage a handsome Christmas tree laden with gifts. Santa Claus came down the chimney and read a number of letters telling of the duties and pleasures of Christmas time. Then the students who had contributed gifts sang a Latin song and McCloskey's orchestra played while the gifts were distributed.

Rev. William Safford Jones and Rev. George Grenville Merrill were among the guests. Rev. William B. Meenan also had been invited, but sent a letter expressing his regret at being unable to be present.

SAVING ON COAL SUPPLY.

Paymaster General Cowie Expects to Obtain Lower Rates for Navy.

Paymaster General T. J. Cowie of the navy told the House committee on naval affairs that the coal supply for the department for the coming year would be purchased at slightly lower rates. He said, in submitting his estimates, that he was about to close a contract which would net the government a saving on the coming fiscal year's supply. The coal, as usual, is to be shipped from the Pocahontas fields of West Virginia to tidewater at Norfolk, Va., and there distributed. The department, he said, had not concluded its tests of Alaskan coal.

He also reported that, while fuel oil for the navy has increased in cost 50 per cent the present fiscal year over the last, he did not anticipate any increase the coming year. He predicted that there will be a big decrease in the price of transporting coal to the Pacific coast as soon as the Panama canal is opened. He did not discuss the possibility of the government obtining oil fields on the Pacific coast from which to obtain its own supply.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Mr. Allison Stone of Providence was a Newport visitor today.

—Mr. James M. Openshaw is a candidate for the office of inspector of plumbing.

—Miss Lola Phinney is guest of Mrs. William Grosvenor in Providence.

—Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs will give a reception at her residence, 1 East Fifty Seventh street, New York, Christmas eve.

—Mr. Benjamin T. Gladding, while working in his barn Sunday, fell from a ladder, fracturing a rib and receiving severe bruises.

—Mrs. Maud Howe Elliott will speak on woman suffrage at a public meeting of the Political Equality League at Wakefield this evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. David Braman will leave tonight for Elkins Park, Pa., where they will spend the winter with Mrs. Braman's brother, Mr. John A. Stehr.

—Mr. and Mrs. Pembrok Jones have sent out invitations for a series of dinners at their home in New York, for Tuesday evenings, January 13, 20 and 27 and February 3.

—Rev. Emery H. Porter, D. D., of this city officiated Saturday at the marriage in Providence of his niece, Miss Margareth Arnold Pitman, to Mr. Henry Gale Chamberlain of Chelsea, Mass.

—The council of Congregational churches which will act upon the resignation of Rev. G. A. Hulbert, pastor of the United church, will meet Tuesday afternoon, December 23, at 3:15 o'clock.

—Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Duncan, who are having a new residence constructed on Harrison avenue, are at the Muenchinger-King. Mrs. Frank Bemis and Miss Alice Sargent of Brookline, Mass., are also there.

—Edward Manchester, who was arrested in Portsmouth November 30, was in New Bedford Saturday bound over for the action of the grand jury in February, on a charge of the murder of his brother, November 29.

—Passed Assistant Surgeon W. N. Hughes, formerly on duty at the Naval Training Station, has been ordered to the New Hampshire of the Atlantic fleet. Paymaster's Clerk T. J. Mulcahy will accompany Paymaster Hughes as his clerk.

—Commander and Mrs. George W. Williams gave a dinner at the Torpedo Station Saturday evening for Rear Admiral Austin M. Knight, commandant of the Naval Station, Narragansett Bay, and his daughter, Miss Katherine Knight.

—Mr. A. Lyssakowsky of the Russian embassy at Washington has been transferred to the foreign office at St. Petersburg and will sail for Europe Wednesday to assume his new duties. He spent a portion of last summer here with the Russian embassy.

—The Christmas entertainment for the kindergarten, primary and junior departments of Trinity Sunday School will be held Saturday, December 27, in the afternoon. The entertainment for the senior department will take place Thursday evening, January 1.

—The extremely pleasant weather Saturday night drew out a big crowd of pedestrians and sight-seers and Thames street was well filled. The same conditions prevailed Sunday night. Sunday afternoon many were out for walks and about everywhere one went pedestrians could be seen. The Cliff Walk and Bellevue avenue were favorite places. The automobilists also took advantage of the weather.

—Professor George G. Wilson of Harvard University has been honored by an appointment to the board of four directors of the "Revue de Droit International et de Legislation Comparee" to succeed the late Professor Westlake of Cambridge University, England. Professor Wilson was formerly a professor at Brown University and has been for many years a lecturer on international law at the Naval War College.

—In the reduction of force in some departments at the Torpedo Station just alp resent, it seems to be the men at the head of the list who are booked for lay-off and not necessarily those at the bottom. Men of advanced years are affected and it is said that, since the Station must produce results, there must be no semblance of pensioning old employes by holding them on the pay roll unless they can do their full stint of work.

COAL STANDING CAUSES TROUBLE.

Congressmen and Their Wives Demand Rights of Precedence.

European Custom in Vogue—A "Defender of the Faith"—Why Expenditures Grow.

[Washington correspondence of the News.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Prating of precedence sounds rather out of place in a democracy, particularly when the real democracy is in charge of every branch of the government. The Senate has practically gone on a strike against social functions where Senators are not given precedence over cabinet officers and ambassadors, as well as other functionaries.

The women of Congress, wives of members of the House, went on a strike until assured that calls they made on the wives of cabinet officers would be returned. Wives of Senators refuse to make first calls on wives of cabinet officers because the Senators claim precedence over cabinet officers.

This "precedence" consists in who shall walk first in or out of a room, who shall be seated nearest the hostess at a dinner table and such other functions where "rank" can be considered.

Most of this stuff is borrowed from Europe. Let a man in the diplomatic corps get out of his proper place in the matter of "precedence" and he is hustled back mighty quick. All dinner entertainers are scrupulously careful to see that foreigners are given places according to their rank. But it is much harder in regard to Senators. And foreign ambassadors would not like to be "placed below" Senators and members of the House. Yet the Representatives have the same claim to precedence as given Senators because they compose a co-ordinate branch of the national legislature. But the whole fuss seems out of place in this latter day of Jeffersonianism.

James Hamilton Lewis should be given the title of "defender of the faith," for he certainly beats every other Senator to it in standing up for the actions of the administration and "hurling back defiance" to those Republican Senators who criticise the administration's interference with Congress. And no man is so big that this "Jack the Giant Killer" is afraid of him. Elihu Root, Senator Cummins, Burton of Ohio, Reed Smoot and, in fact, any or all of the Republican leaders are met by the flow of oratorical acrobatics from Jim Ham Lewis whenever they criticise the policies and actions of the administration.

All the old adages fit situations in the United States Senate. "Chickens come home to roost" in the case of Senator Owen not long ago. He was berating the Republicans for delaying and talking long on the currency bill, which he was trying to have passed, and became involved in a controversy with Senator Gallinger.

"I remember," said the New Hampshire Senator, "a prolonged and uninteresting speech that the Senator from Oklahoma made not long ago occupying six hours and by filibustering defeating the will of the Senate."

But that was in another session, on another bill and under different circumstances.

The opponents of the Hetch-Hetchy bill sent tons of literature, letters and postal cards to everybody in Washington calling on them to "stop this grab," to "prevent this steal," to "defeat the grafters." These and similar terms were applied to those who were in favor of the bill. Senator Brandegee of Connecticut took up the matter and said that a Senator would be a contemptible person if he became scared by such demonstrations when two committees of Congress had reported the bill favorably and no evidence was offered that "crooks," "grafters" or the like were really concerned in securing its passage.

Congressman Sisson of Mississippi, like most members of the appropriations committee, has the habit of preaching economy unless, like all other members of that committee, the paring process does not come too close home. In explaining how expenditures grew Sisson said to the House:

"I never saw a man in this House who was the advocate of a certain great expenditure who was not willing to vote for the extravagances advocated by other fellows." He went on to explain that it had become part of the business of members to get all they could in the way of federal money in order to make their campaigns for return to Congress.

Congressman Fowler talked on a resolution for adjournment the other day, but he really talked about trusts and the methods they took in regard to recent tariff duties. Fowler says it is evident that certain combinations have stopped production in order to make the tariff unpopular.

Arthur W. Dunn.

FIRST DEGREE WORKED.

Adamsville Lodge Visited by Newport Odd Fellows.

The degree team of Excelsior Lodge, No. 49, I. O. O. F., accompanied by other members, numbering 38 in all, went to Adamsville Saturday evening to work the first degree on several candidates for Electra Lodge. The Newport Odd Fellows had a special car to Tiverton and there took automobiles for Adamsville. The visitors were cordially received and after the secret work a banquet was served, followed by a social session which lasted until midnight. The Newporters reached home about 2 o'clock. Noble Grand George C. Stoddard of Excelsior Lodge headed the party and Past Grand George T. Lewis was master of the degree team.

OF NEWPORT FAMILIES.

Miss Phillips and Miss Herrick Introduced Into New York Society.

Among the debutantes who had their formal introduction into society in New York Saturday afternoon was Miss Lucia Edith Phillips, for whom her mother, Mrs. Wendell C. Phillips, gave a reception at her home, 40 West Forty-Seventh street. Receiving with Miss Phillips were her sister, Miss Helen Phillips, and Misses Margarette Homans, Lentilhon Gilford, Marion Flustmann, Abbie Cambell, Elizabeth Van Heusen, Clarice Patterson, Lena Grant and Catherine Rush, who were joined at dinner by Messrs. Monroe DeMott, Kingsley Roberts, Berry Underhill, W. Shaw Thompson, Henry Wiser, Carl Holmes, Arthur Gould Hamilton, Carl Springer, Holland Judkins and Matthew Larsen. Later the company joined other debutantes and their guests at the performance of "The Madcap Duchess" at the Globe Theatre.

Miss Phillips is a granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Philip Staggart of this city.

For the introduction of Miss Louise M. Herrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Hicks Herrick, Mrs. Herrick gave a reception at Sherry's. Following there was a dinner and, later, dancing. Miss Herrick and her mother were assisted in receiving by Miss Margaret A. Herrick, sister of the debutante, and Misses M. Louise Dixon, Harriet B. Paris, Coline M. Ingersoll, Elizabeth Klapp, Cornelia, Chapin, Veronica Frazier, Lois Hall, Edith J. Farr, Evelyn Scott and Dorothy Trowbridge Hollister. Additional guests came for the dinner and dance.

Miss Herricks is granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elias J. Herrick, who are well known in Newport, where they own a summer residence and are frequent visitors.

NAVY RETIREMENTS IN 1914.

The following retirements on account of age will take place in the navy and marine corps during the year 1914:

Rear Admiral V. L. Cottman, commandant of the Puget Sound navy yard, February 13.

Rear Admiral C. E. Vreeland, member of the General Board and Joint Board, March 10.

Rear Admiral W. H. H. Southerland, member of the General Board, July 10.

Pay Director W. W. Galt, in charge of navy pay office, Norfolk, July 15.

Medical Director Frank Anderson, president of examining board, July 20.

Rear Admiral R. F. Nicholson, commander-in-chief of the Asiatic fleet, December 15.

Rear Admiral W. N. Little, inspector of machinery Fore River Company, December 31.

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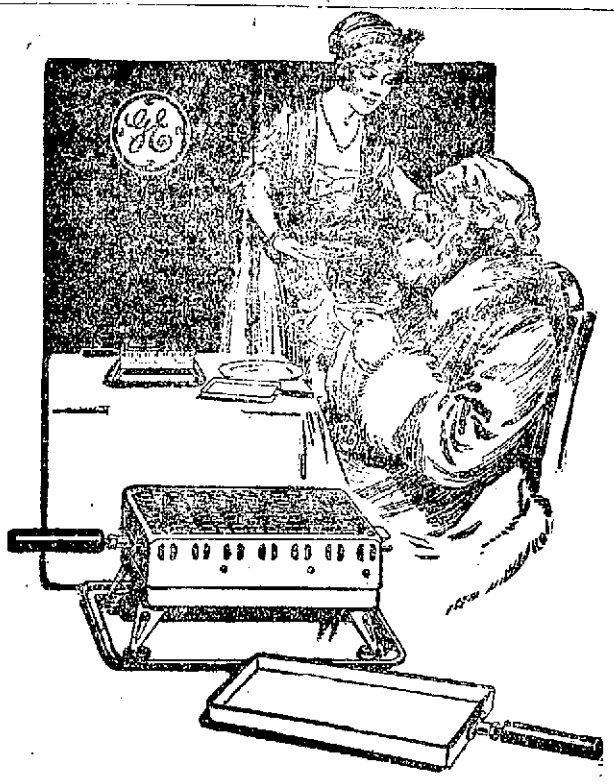
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STRONG TAUNTON FIVE DEFEATED.

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started before Duffy again scored for Taunton, Martin came back with two more goals, and Manter made the last of the half for his team. Arnold had played a great floor game up to this time and now scored an overhand shot. Martin registered his last goal, followed by Arnold, who netted the last of the period, making the score 23-8, with Rogers on the long end.

During the intermission the remainder of the Taunton team arrived and a little more time was taken to enable the players to don their uniforms. For Rogers, Diggles went in for Cottrell, Denniston for Martin, and Jemail for Lee. Each team scored a goal before Rogers again let out with a succession which overwhelmed the visitors. Lockhart, Taunton's star forward, broke into the scoring column on two foul goals only. Denniston, Diggles and Arnold were close for the high score honors in this period, but Denniston's aggressive playing and close following of the ball enabled him to make five goals against four by Arnold and Diggles. The score for this half was 32-10, with Taunton again on the short end.

With one exception the team which Rogers defeated Saturday was the same five which Rogers played its best to win from last year, by a score of 32-18, by a great sport at the very finish.

Rogers next opponents will be the fast Central Falls team, which has made a great record this year by winning its first four games.

The line-up and summary:

Rogers.	Taunton.
Arnold, r. f.	l. g., Cummings
Cottrell, Diggles, l. f.	r. g., Martland, Callahan
Marshall, c.	c., Manter
Martin, Denniston, r. g.	l. f., Duffy
Lee, Jemail, l. g.	r. f., Oxx, Lockhart

Score—Rogers 55, Taunton 18. Goals from floor—Arnold 6, Marshall 5, Denniston 5, Martin 4, Diggles 4, Cottrell 2, Lee; Duffy 6, Manter 2, Martland. Goals from the foul line—Lockhart 2; Marshall. Referee—McMahon. Scorer—Moore. Timer—Frame. Time—20-minute periods.

ODD GIFT TO A PRINCE.

[London Daily News and Leader.]

Probably the oddest birthday gift on record—an old unused railway ticket—was received by Prince Oscar, the Kaisers fifth son on the occasion of his recent birthday. The story connected with this unusual present is as follows:

Twenty-five years ago a simple inhabitant of a small neighboring town was in Berlin on business, and by chance happened to be standing before the royal palace when the salute announcing the prince's birthday was fired. The visitor, filled with patriotism, returned home. By some oversight the guard neglected to collect the ticket, which bore the date July 27, and which has been carefully preserved all these years.

The ticket was sent to the prince with an explanatory letter on his twenty-fifth anniversary. The prince accepted the simple gift in the spirit in which it was given, and sent the donor, through his adjutant, a letter of thanks, accompanied by a signed photograph.

THE MIDDLE-AGED STENOGRAPHER.

[Chicago Record-Herald.]

It is discovered in New York that there is a time limit in the business world for women no less than for men, the woman most discriminated against is the middle-aged stenographer. One of these aged 40, has written to the papers to ask why, experienced and able and still energetic and ambitious she cannot get and hold a satisfactory position. Employers have been interviewed. One and all they resent the imputation that the choice of younger women for stenographic positions is influenced by a pretty face or by personal charm. Fresh, keen senses and adaptability to modern methods were given as the determining factors The hope for the middle-aged woman stenographer would seem to be in gradually getting such a grip on the details of a business—or some department of it—as will make her useful and even indispensable, in something beyond mere typewriting This might be difficult in a large office, but not impossible in a small one, where the personal element has greater play.

CITY BOYS STUDYING AGRICULTURE.

[Jersey City Journal.]

There are more young men from the cities studying agriculture than from the farming sections. At least that is what the reports of the Pennsylvania agricultural schools show. Out of 773 students taking agricultural courses in that state, only 30 per cent were reared on farms. The others came from cities and towns. The total number of agricultural students is small. There should be many more, and there would be if young men generally understood the possibilities of scientific farming. An educated trained farmer is always sure of a place at fairly good wages, and when he gets a farm of his own he is independent of all labor conditions, actually his own boss with a good chance to make money. It is true that farm work is hard, the more ignorant the farmer the harder the work, but it is not all work. There is as much idle time, taking the average of the year, as in any other occupation.

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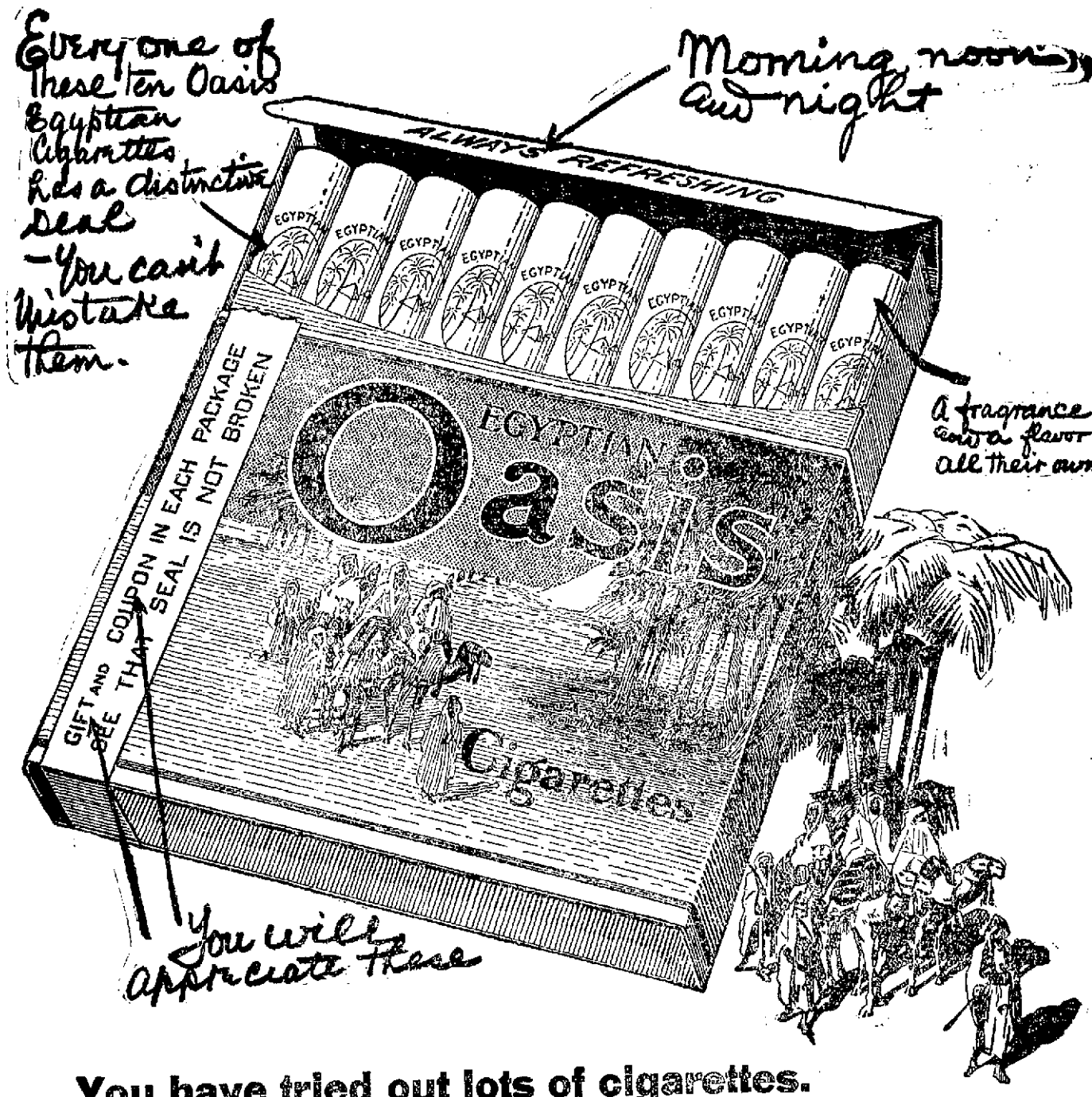
[Hartford Courant.]

"Are we so soon forgot when we are gone?" In one account of the Elkins wedding the bridegroom is "the son of a former Congressman from Illinois." Very likely the reporter knew nothing about the "former Congressman" beyond the fact that he was "Billy" Hitt's father.

Yet, as it happens, the late Hon. Robert Roberts Hitt was one of the most accomplished and distinguished men of his day, and it was a rather long day, in his youth he reported the history-making Lincoln-Douglas debate of 1858. Before his first election to Congress he had been secretary of legation and charge d'affaires at Paris and assistant Secretary of State. The House committee on foreign affairs has had great chairmen, not many of them, but a few; the name of Robert Roberts Hitt is inscribed high on the roll.

But to the (probably youthful) newspaper man who wrote up the Elkins wedding he was nothing but "Billy's" father.

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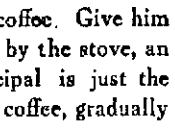
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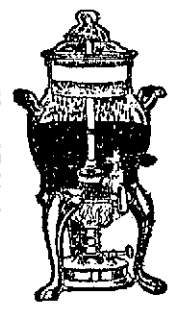
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WILD ANIMALS AND CATNIP.

Effect on Leopards and Tigers the Same as on Domestic Felines.

[New York Herald.]

Some one at the Washington Zoological Park obtained the permission of the authorities to try the effect of catnip on the animals there. So far as known, catnip does not grow in the native homes of these animals, and this was the first time they had ever smelled it.

The scent of the plant filled the whole place, and as soon as it reached the parrots' corner the two gaudily attired macaws set up a note that told fearfully on the nerves of all and made for that side of their cage, poking their beaks and claws through it. When the catnip was brought near them they became nearly frantic. They were given some, and devoured it, stem, leaf and blossom, with an eagerness that equalled the noise of their cries.

Next trial was made on an African leopard. Before the keepers had reached the front of the cage he had bounded from the shelf whereon he lay, apparently asleep, and stood expectant. A double handful of catnip was passed through to the floor of the den.

Never was the prey of this spotted African in his wild state pounced upon more savagely or with such absolute enjoyment. First, the leopard ate a mouthful of the stuff, then lay flat on his back and wriggled through the green mass until his black-spotted yellow hide was filled with the odor, just as you have seen a cat act when it receives some catnip.

Then he sat on a bunch of the catnip caught a leaf-laden stem up in either paw and rubbed his cheeks, chin, nose, eyes and head. He ate an additional mouthful or two, and then jumped back to his shelf, where he lay the rest of of the afternoon, the very picture of contentment.

In one tiger's cage there is a very young but full-grown animal. When this great surly beast inhaled the first snuff of the catnip he began to mew like a kitten. Up to this time the softest note of his voice had been one which put the roar of the big-maned lion near him to shame.

That vicious tiger fairly reveled in the liberal allowance of the plant which was thrust into his cage. He rolled about in it and played like a six-weeks-old kitten. He mewed and purred, tossed it about, ate of it, and after getting about as liberal a dose as the leopard had, likewise jumped to his shelf and blinked lazily the rest of the day.

Only one big lion was either too dignified or too lazy to accord much attention to the bunch of catnip which fell to his lot. He ate a mouthful, licked his chops as though saying, "Not half bad," and then went back to his slumbers.

THRIFT INSTRUCTION.

Training in Virtue of Economy Should be in Public School Curriculum.

[American Bankers Association.]

"The youth who is perpetually borrowing will come to be known as one who never saves, and he who never saves can never hope to be rich."—Dr. George C. Lorimer.

It seems strange that Abraham Lincoln's adice to "teach economy, one of the first and highest virtues" is, after half a century, only beginning to be followed by educators. In Massachusetts and Minnesota there are laws which make it optional but not compulsory to teach thrift in the public schools. The school savings banks are making some headway in various parts of the country, but it is a lamentable fact that little is being done in the public schools of the country to give the children a grounding in the essentials of thrift.

Much is being said about agricultural and other vocational education, about manual training and domestic science in the public schools, but there is no well defined plan for adding thrift training to the school curriculum. If it is worth while to teach the farmer to wrest more from the soil, is it not worth while to show him also how to administer to better advantage his newly created wealth?

A school superintendent in a large city when asked what was being done in the public schools under his supervision to systematically instill the thrift idea, replied "Absolutely nothing." A member of the school board in the same city asked whether he did not think thrift training should have a prominent place in our educational system, replied "That is a matter for the home." And yet if we look about us, we see the heads of homes themselves setting appalling examples of riotous extravagance.

Children in schools study mathematics; why not give them practical examples of the wonders of compound interest to work out? They have "Emerson days", "Stevenson days", and all kinds of days which are observed by reading selections from the various authors whose work they commemorate; why not have a "thrift day" once in a while?

The majority of students being turned out of the public schools are totally lacking in knowledge of finance even that rudimentary part of it dealing with the importance of regular saving. It would shorten the road to success for most of them if "Thrift" were taken from its obscurity and made a vital theme in our educational system, as has already been done in some European countries.

NEGRO MAKES FARMING PAY.

[Southern Workman.]

Twenty-two years ago Jonas W. Thomas, a negro of Marlborough county, S. C., began his career as a farmer by buying an old horse for $40.75 and by renting 30 acres of South Carolina land for 1,400 pounds of lint cotton. After four years of hard work and close saving he was able to buy a mule for $60 and also 67 acres of land. Then he began renting and working farms which belonged to other men. Gradually he was able to buy the land he had been renting. He also found it worth his while to open a "grab" or commissary.

Now Thomas lives in a 12-room house and employs on his $40,000 plantation 39 families, consisting of 189 men, women and children. He grows a variety of crops, including cotton, corn and some garden truck, and raises his own horses, mules, cows and hogs. He has received as much as $31,000 for his cotton crop alone—400 bales of long staple. On an average he has saved $3,000 a year for 22 years. All that he now has on his farm is his own "directly and indirectly," he affirms with justifiable pride. In a single year he had borrowed of one local bank and repaid $23,000. "Good credit," so Thomas says, "explains a fair share of my success."

FAVORITE DRINKS OF ROYALTY.

The Kaiser a Confirmed Teetotaler and King George Abstemious

Queen Emma of Holland and her Daughter, Wilhelmina, Have Strong Temperance Ideas.

[London Tit-Bits.]

King Ferdinand of Bulgaria gave up beer, wine and alcohol in any shape or form some years ago on the advice of his mother. The king is one of the least nervous among monarchs and keeps his temper in the most trying circumstances. King Ferdinand is an exception among the Balkan rulers; King Peter of Servia, the king of Greece, the king of Roumania and the king of Montenegro all like their glass of wine.

It was in December, 1908, that the Kaiser became a confirmed teetotaler. His favorite drink is one invented by the Kaiserin a few years ago. It consists of orange and lemon juice placed in the interior of a pineapple, from which part of the fruit has been taken and the juice from it returned. The pineapple is then placed on ice and filled up with mineral water, the drink being transferred to a glass with a ladle. This dink, is however, only taken as a special treat, the more usual beverage being a mixture of the juices of three oranges and two lemons, with a little sugar, mineral water being added.

The Kaiser has done everything he can to encourage temperance. He stated publicly a short time ago that "the next war will demand healthy men; war calls for strong nerves, and victory will crown the colors of the nation which consumes the least alcohol." Contrary to popular belief, the amount of her drunk per head of population in Germany every year is considerably less than the amount drunk in England.

Very little alcohol is drunk by the German royal family, though the Kaiser is the only absolute teetotaler. When he is invited to dinner he drinks a special temperance drink that is supplied to his host in advance, and is served to the emperor in champagne bottles. The reason for this is that according to strict etiquette alcoholic drinks would be banished from all dinners at which His Majesty was present in the ordinary way. But the Kaiser waives etiquette and drinks mock champagne while the guests are drinking the real variety.

The crown prince, though not a strict teetotaler has very strong views upon those who drink to excess. While a student at Bonn he gave offense to the university by protesting vigorously against the drinking of an exaggerated quantity of beer by the students.

His sister, Princess Victoria, who was recently married with such pomp and ceremony, has an occasional glass of champagne, but when she is alone with her husband the beverages consumed on the royal table consist of anti-alcoholic drinks of various kinds.

The late Mr. T. W. Stead wrote in the Review of Reviews when King George came to the throne: "George V is probably the most abstemious king who has ever ascended the British throne. I do not say that he is a Good Templar, or a Rechabite, or a pledged teetotaler. But I do say with confidence on the authority of men who know him intimately, who have lived with him, dined with him, supped with him, that, although, he sometimes takes a glass of wine, is usual beverages are distilled or mineral water and milk. There is not a man more abstemious in the use of intoxicants among all the millions who own his sway."

The proof of the pudding is in the eating, or rather one should say the proof of the drinking is in the shooting. King George is one of the finest shots in the kingdom, a position which he could not hold if he were not practically a teetotaler. The king, by the way, very rarely indeed takes a cup of afternoon tea.

Tea, on the contrary, is the favorite drink of Queen Mary. She drinks it, as a rule, without sugar.

Though Queen Alexandra is fond of good wines, she always provides a special Danish hot weather beverage for her guests during the summer months. It is made of equal portions of the juices of oranges and crushed peaches, some slices of cucumber and a dash of ginger. The whole is flavored with maraschino, and when blended it is placed for a few hours on ice. Those who have tasted it say it is one of the most delightful summer drinks imaginable.

Queen Emma of Holland is almost a fanatic on the question of strong drink, and she has instilled her temperance ideas into the mind of Queen Wilhelmina. Neither mother nor daughter touch alcohol in any shape or form. Until Queen Wilhelemina was married, in fact wine was never seen on the royal table. Prince Henry, however, who likes a glass of wine, insisted that it should be provided for himself and his guests, though his wife and mother-in-law are still strict teetotalers.

King Gustavus Adolphus of Sweden and his queen are both total abstainers, though the cellars of the palace are always stocked with fine wines. These are served to the guests of the royal family though at private dinners water and lime juice are the only drinks served.

The Dowager Queen Sophia of Sweden is really the cause of this temperance of the Swedish royal family. For over 40 years she has been the most powerful supporter of the total abstinence movement in Scandinavia, and has devoted a great deal of her time and wealth to furthering the cause.

Her favorite son, Oscar, who is the chief heir to her fortune, has, for several years been president of the Total Abstinence Society of Sweden.

Pleasure loving as is King Alfonso, he, nevertheless, like his mother, Queen Christina, never touches wine or spirits. The young king is a total abstainer, not through policy or principle, but simply because he dislikes the taste of alcohol. The cellars of the palace at Madrid, however, are famous for the wine they contain, wine which is served at every meal. Though Alfonso has no taste for it, Queen Ena likes an occasional glass at dinner.

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FOUND—A black muff. Address Box 63, Daily News.

LOST—Ladies' hunting-case gold watch, no ring in stem, probably on Thames street. Return to 9 Dearborn street. Reward.

LOST—Brindle bull dog; long tail, no collar. Please notify C. Biesel, 11 Ledyard place. Tel. 165.

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SYLVIA PANKHURST ON POINT OF COLLAPSE.

Adds No Sleep to Her "Hunger and Thirst" Strike.

Mother and Daughter to be Kept in Jail Until After Today's Meeting.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—Miss Sylvia Pankhurst, the militant suffragette agitator, since her imprisonment December 10, has adopted the more drastic method of adding a "no sleep strike" to her "hunger and thirst strike." She accomplishes this by continually walking. Her friends expect her release shortly, as she is said to be on the point of collapse. The police, however, plan to keep both Miss Pankhurst and her mother in jail until after today's weekly meeting of the Women's Social and Political Union.

In the meantime the militants continue their violent tactics. Last night the arson squad burned an empty mansion near Bristol and the party broke every window in the Richmond police station.

Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, the suffragette leader, while returning from Paris, where she had been visiting her daughter, Miss Christabel Pankhurst, was re-arrestedSaturday evening by Scotland Yard detectives, shortly after the train left Dover. The action of the police was so unexpected by the militants that they had made no preparation to safeguard the leader by a detachment from the recently organized suffragette army.

It was only last Sunday night that "General" Mrs. Flora Drummond, speaking at a suffragette meeting, exclaimed: "Here and now we swear that never again will the government get Mrs. Pankhurst."

Prior to her departure from Paris Mrs. Pankhurst said that she did not expect to be arrested before Monday, as the license under which she had been released did not expire until then, and she announced her determination of addressing a big meeting on that day in London. The charge on which she was taken into custody was "having left the country without giving 24 hours notice of change of address as required by her license."

At Victoria station, a large force of police was on hand to prevent any attempt at rescue. On the arrival of the train, and before any of the militants present realized what had happened, she was hurried into a motor car and driven to Holloway jail.

Soon after she was incarcerated groups of suffragettes drew up in taxicabs and started a concert outside the jail. Mrs. Dacre-Fox declared that the premature arrest of Mrs. Pankhurst was due to the fear of what her body guard would do if the police had attempted to arrest her at Monday's meeting. She added: "The government evidently is in terror of the Women's Social and Political Union."

DAMAGE BY VILLA'S MEN TO BE RIGHTED.

Carranza Sends Word to General to Treat Foreigners Well.

Rear Admiral Fletcher Reports Conditions as Unchanged.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Brigadier General Bliss, commanding the Mexican border patrol, reported to the War Department today that he had reason to believe any losses to foreigners or damage to their property caused by Villa's troops would be made good. General Bliss added that General Carranza had dispatched an agent, Felix Sommerfield, to General Villa, with despatches directing respectful treatment of foreigners, and if necessary would visit Villa himself.

Officials here turned their attention to reports of threats on foreigners in Chihuahua City by Villa, and expected to learn from American Consul Letcher details of what had taken place since Chihuahua was evacuated by the federals. Inasmuch as there has been difficulty in communicating by telegraph with Chihuahua City, American Consul Edwards at Juarez has sent a messenger by automobile to obtain details of events there from Consul Letcher. Until a report is received from the latter no formal comment is expected here.

The latest messages from Admiral Fletcher were summarized in the following statement made public by the Navy Department:

A despatch from Rear Admiral Fletcher on board the Tacoma, dated 3 p. m. Saturday, December 13, advises that the Constitutionalists have shut off the water supply of the city.

At 10 p. m. he advised that His Majesty's ship Hermione was in the river, carrying the flag of Rear Admiral Cradock.

Writing at noon, Sunday, December 14, Rear Admiral Fletcher advises that conditions have not changed and that Ward liner Morro Castle has arrived. There is a north wind blowing, and until the weather moderates it will not be possible to transfer refugees to the steamer. He advises that the Constitutionalists have withdrawn from the immediate vicinity of Tampico.

At 1 a. m. December 15, Rear Admiral Fletcher advise that conditions had not changed since he sent his last despatch.

PRELIMINARY STEPS TAKEN.

Spain to Commit Safeguarding of Interests in Mexico to United States.

MADRID, Dec. 15.—The Spanish government is disposed to commit the safeguarding of its interests in Mexico to the United States government, according to an announcement today by the Spanish premier, Eduardo Dato, who said that preliminary steps had been taken already with that end in view.

SCHOOL ORGANIZATIONS.

Officers of the Leagues of Good Citizenship in the Several Buildings.

The Leagues of Good Citizenship have been organized in the schools with the following results:

Carey School—Director, Mrs. R. R. Bellman; president—Rita Fulton; vice president, Erna Brandt; secretary, Emily Carpenter.

Calvert—Director, Miss Maud Stevens; president, John Alger; vice president, Elizabeth Bellinger; secretary, Emily Martin.

Cranston—Director, Mrs. W. B. Fletcher; president, Peter [illegible]; vice president, Benjamin May, Jr., secretary, Lillian Beaumont.

Clarke—Director, Mrs. Nathan A. Estes; president, Ralph Kaull; vice president, Morris Kelley; secretary, Victoria Holmes.

Coggeshall—Director, Mrs. Alfred G. Langley; president, Henry Lynch; vice president, Rufus Bailey; secretary, Catherine Hammett.

Lenthal—Director, Miss Peabody; president, John Brandt; vice president, Gladys Casseen; secretary, Oliver Sullivan.

Mumford—Director, Mrs. Livingston Hunt; president, Louis Vincent, vice president, Edward Butler; secretary, Esther Carlisle.

Potter—Director, Miss Jeuckes; president, Annabella Jestings; vice president, Dora Chapman; secretary, Lillian James.

Thayer—Director, Mrs. E. S. Kellogg; president, Helen Johnson; vice president, Alfa Bye; secretary, Ruth Anderson.

SALE OF WELCH COAL PROPERTY.

The estate of the P. H. Welch Coal Company, situated on Lee's wharf and comprising land, buildings office scales and wharf property, was sold at mortgagee's sale this noon by F. W. Greene, on the premises. The property was offered in two sections and was sold to Francis Mercier, who bid $2,000 above the mortgage and interest in each case. He thus paid $4,000 in all in addition to the mortgage and charges, which amount to $3,598, making something over $7,500 for the property.

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PROBATE COURT BUSINESS.

Administrations and Guardians Appointed; Other Estates Distributed.

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Notice being waived, letters of administration on the estate of Florence W. Gladding were granted to Belle G. Gladding. No personal estate; bond $100, surety John F. Easton.

James A. Dwyer was appointed guardian of the person and estate of Catherine A. Dwyer. Estate will not exceed $1,000; bond $2,000, sureties Mary L. Dwyer and Beatrice Dwyer.

Mary Letitia Dwyer was appointed guardian of the person and estate of Elizabeth Dwyer. Personal estate will not exceed $1,000; bond $2,000, sureties Ellen C. Dwyer and Beatrice Dwyer.

Lucille R. Edgar was appointed conservator of the estate of Sarah Kenyon. Personal estate will not exceed $7,000; bond $14,000, sureties Herman LeRoy Edgar and Eliza L. Edgar.

The first and final account of the administrator de bonis non on the estate of William H. Wilbour was allowed. To Harriet E. Wilbour was paid $16,207.77.

The first and final account of the executor of the estate of Ruth Rodman was allowed. To Annie S. Rogers was paid $820.75.

Inventories of the estate of Mary C. Denman, amounting to $1,345.63 personal and $1,500 real estate, and the estate of John H. Manning, amounting to $900 real estate, were allowed.

Petitions for increase of bond on the estate of Anna Hazard and for consideration of the account with the estate of P. R. Condon were continued to December 22. Petitions for sale of real estate of John M. Manning and for consideration of the accounts of administrator on the estate of Sarah Ellen Dawley and of the guardian of Emma C. Denman were continued to January 5.

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FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15, Wall Street.—The market opened with Amalgamated Copper 69¾, Anaconda 34, Baltimore & Ohio 91¾, Canadian Pacific 220, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul 97½, Erie 26⅞, Great Northern preferred 123, New York Central 91¾, Northern Pacific 106⅜, Pennsylvania 106⅝, Reading 161¾, Rock Island preferred 19, Southern Pacific 85¾, Union Pacific 150½, United States Steel 65⅛.

10:45—Pressure was again applied to the stock market when trading began today. All the important stocks were lower, with the exception of New Haven, which rose nearly a point on active buying. Heaviness of the general list pulled down New Haven, which lost its gain. Support was offered on the decline, and the market began to recover, but pronounced heaviness of American Telephone and New York Central caused renewed unsettlement, and at the end of half an hour prices were moving downward generally. Reading and Union Pacific lost 1 and Canadian Pacific 2¾. New York Central fell 1 to 90¾, and American Telephone 3, to 112⅛, both new low marks.

Noon—Operations on the short side uncovered weak spots and after a period of uncertain movements in the early trading the whole list moved definitely downward. Individual stocks were influenced by special considerations, but the movement generally indicated growth of bearish sentiment. Investment shares, which were conspicuously heavy last week went down again with considerable rapidity when the break on American Telephone assumed formidable proportions. New Haven, however, exhibited exceptional strength, its support coming chiefly from shorts, who found it difficult to borrow the stock. Selling was not especially heavy, and losses of popular issues as a rule did not exceed a point. Bonds were irregular. Call money, easy, at 2. Mercantile paper 5½. Exchanges, $254,282,427; balances, $16,246,801.

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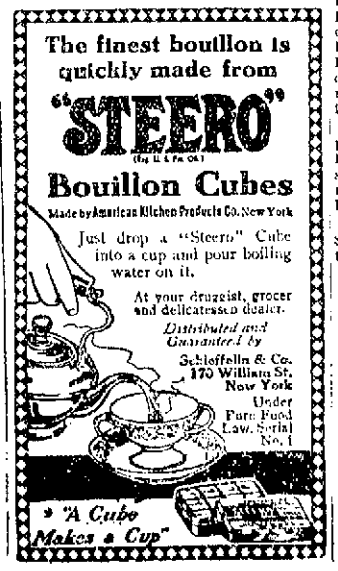
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"This month's issue of a New York publication gives a sketch of A. O. Howard of this city as an author of successful short stories. It pays him a compliment in being one of the foremost short story writers of Maine and gives him credit for winning the state of Maine prize a few months ago for a local church in 'The Case of Jennie Brice.'

"Mr. Howard with his family lives in this city, and is an employe of the Associated Press for the Journal. He has written many articles of prose and verse, among which is the verse 'Hoppity Joe' and 'Marcus Gilfeather's Trump,' a prose story."

Mr. Howard was formerly a resident of Newport and for several years the Associated Press operator for the Newport Daily News.

RECORDS LOST IN FIRE.

Steamboat Company's Freight Office, Providence, Damaged.

Fire, originating from an unknown cause, practically destroyed the interior of the freight office of the Providence, Fall River & Newport Steamboat Company on Dyer street, Providence, early Sunday morning. John Vincent, night watchman on the dock, discovered the fire, and after giving an alarm collapsed from a nervous shock. An ambulance was called from the Rhode Island Hospital and Vincent quickly revived under treatment by the ambulance surgeon, and was later taken to his home. The firemen were soon on the scene playing several streams of water which effectually smothered the blaze The damage to the building was considerable, but the greatest loss will be from the destroying of the records, it it stated.

ORDAINED TO MINISTRY.

Clarence F. Gifford, Pastor of Baptist Temple, Tiverton.

Clarence F. Gifford, a graduate of the Killingly, Conn., High school and Brown University, where he is now doing post-graduate work leading to a degree, was ordained to the ministry at a service in the Baptist church at Danielson, Conn., recently, in the presence of the pastors of various Baptist churches in towns in that section, and many friends and relatives. Mr. Gifford is pastor of the Baptist Temple, Tiverton.

At the ordination service the charge to the candidate was delivered by Rev. A. B. Coats, D. D., of Hartford. Rev. Edward Holyoke, D. D., pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, Providence, preached the sermon. The ordination prayer was by Rev. W. Douglas Swaffield, pastor of the church.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

At its annual meeting Sunday afternoon the Italian Progresso Society elected the following officers:

President—Anthony Luistro.
Vice President—Michael DeCotis.
Trustees—Michael P. Pinto, Anthony M. Marolda.
Treasurer—Emidio Papa.
Financial Secretary—Nicholas Ferrara.
Corresponding Secretary—Joseph Perrotta.
Vice Corresponding Secretary—Carmelo Gionfriada.
Sanitary Officers—Vito Clarazino, Anthony Luistro, F. Publico.
Doorkeeper—John Cascio.
Doctor—H. V. Carroll, M. D.
Italian Flag Bearer—S. Ripa.
American Flag Bearer—C. Ripa.

The Italian Political Protective Club has elected the following officers:

President—Carlo Columbo.
Vice President—Guiseppi Villi.
Treasurer—Paolo Mazzullo.
Secretary—Silvestra Ferraris.
Financial Secretary—Guiseppi Perrotta.
Trustees—Michael Bruno, Gaetana Cenero, Frank Lio.
Marshal—Donato Di Napoli.

The Young Women's Hebrew Association at its meeting at the Touro Synagogue Sunday evening elected the following officers for the year:

President—Lena Zisman.
Vice President—Bessie Friedlander.
Recording Secretary—Fannie Lack.
Financial Secretary—Jennie Hershmann.
Treasurer—Evelyn Yantes.
Sergeant-at-Arms—Lena Lack.
Trustees—Rebecca Alberis, Annie Adelson, Fannie Friedlander.

ARMY AND NAVY ASSOCIATION NOTES.

Saturday evening a Zu Zu social was held at the Army and Navy Young Men's Christian Association a large amount of zu zus being distributed among the men.

Sunday afternon the Bible class was held, after which the men marched to the Thames Street Methodist Episcopal Church, where the women served luncheon. After supper Mrs. Goddard spoke to the men and an apprentice seaman sang a solo. The enlisted men attended the evening service and heard Miss Fiske, from the Providence Deaconess Home, tell about the work.

In the building an illustrated lecture entitled "A trip through the White Mountains," was given and proved interesting. Electrician (third class) C. F. Gluck of the Torpedo Station operated the stereopticon.



CHARLES B. SMITH, THE ALLEGED MURDERER AT THE BEACH.

Smith in the centre, manacled to a Providence deputy on the left and guarded by Deputy DeBlois on the right. Smith is carrying a box of chocolates given him upon his arrival in Newport. The size of the prisoner was a strong contrast to that of Deputy Colvin.

NEGRO ADVANCEMENT.

Mt. Zion Literary Association Addressed by Dr. Wheatland.

The weekly meeting of the Mt. Zion Literary Association, Sunday afternoon at the Mt. Zion African Methodist Episcopal Church, had a large attendance of members. Mr. J. W. Willard, the president, presided and Mr. H. H. Zedricks sang "Ave Maria," with an organ accompaniment by Mrs. Octavia Dash.

Dr. Marcus F. Wheatland spoke on "Getting Along Under Difficulties," telling of the negro's advancement and his progress in making a place by which he can render service to society and be of use to his day and generation. During the talk he said: One should not accept a position because it offers a good salary for the time being, but he should seek employment where a slow but steady advancement is possible. Go in for things that you can do best, not for the one at which you can earn the most money. For, after all, money is only a minor question. The development of the character should be the greater consideration.

After we have labored and struggled with our fellow-men, when can it be said that we have succeeded? It may be said that a man has succeeded when he has won the confidence of his fellows to the extent that he is able to serve them in some useful occupation. Success cannot be measured by dollars and cents. Some of the world's greatest benefactors have died in abject poverty. In the end you can only measure success by the height of the motive prompting the desire and effort put forth to reach the end sought.

The paper was discussed by Rev. T. W. Henderson, D. D., pastor of the Mt. Zion Church; Rev. H. N. Jeter, D. D., of the Shiloh Baptist Church, Dr. M. Alonzo Van Horne and Mr. C. J. Grinnell.

NEW BUILDING PERMITS.

Contract Awarded for Erection of Lorillard Spencer Memorials.

Among the building permits recently issued is one for the erection of the Lorillard Spencer memorials on King Park, which means of course that the contract has been awarded.

It is still noted that not only are many applications defective in the amount of attention given in filling them out, but there seems to be a studied effort in many cases not to put in the true exported cost of the structures to be built. Much work is started, and not infrequently advanced quite a little, before an application is made, all of which suggests that the time for leniency with builders and owners has passed if the full effect of the law is to be realized.

The new permits are as follows:

T. Manali, 503 Thames street—Stable; no price.

J. Nars, Warner street—Two-story addition; contract price $2,760.30.

Carl G. Richardson, 8 Barney street—Workshop, terra cotta wall on line; cost $100.

Mrs. Lorillard Spencer—Band stand and pergola on Spencer parkway; contract $4,000.

Ernest Boudreau, Peckham avenue—Three one-and-a-half story cottages, hot water; estimated cost $2,600 each.

F. H. Horgan, Champlin street—Wall under portion of stable moved to plat; cost about $100.

Oliver G. Jennings, Bellevue avenue and Ledge road—Alterations and addition; estimated cost about $10,000.

Henry J. Jones, rear Mill street—Addition of brick to laundry; estimated cost $1,200.

TENNIS CHAMPIONS LOSE.

Gould and Huhn Defeated by Fearing and Crane.

Jay Gould and W. H. T. Huhn of the Philadelphina Racquet Club, holders of the court tennis doubles championship were defeated by G. B. Fearing and Joshua Crane of the Tennis and Racquet Club, at the court of the Boston Athletic Association Sunday. The match lasted two hours and 20 minutes, and the large gallery saw some of the finest tennis shown in this city in a long time.

From the start the champions were forced to extend themselves, for the Boston men showed great strength. The first set went to the champions by two aces in the next two sets the Boston pair worked better together, winning both. The fourth set went to the champions, but the fifth and deciding was taken by the Boston men

WHOLE COMMUNITY POORER.

Captain Cotton's Death Leaves a Gap Which It Will Be Difficult to Fill.

Dominant Idea of Life was Service, and Such Service as He Gave Would be Hard to Equal.

To the Editor of the News:

The death of Captain Cotton came as a great shock to the community.



THE LATE CAPTAIN COTTON.

Although he was past the age when most men begin to limit their activities and to seek a well earned repose, he continued to follow his customary employments, and seemed so active and well that his friends and intimates had not a thought that his end was near.

He will be greatly missed in Newport and its vicinity, and his taking off leaves a large gap in our civic life. It would be difficult to name another citizen whose passing would be so widely felt and lamented. He became a resident here 42 years ago, and ever since had served the community, sometimes officially but more frequently otherwise, in the endeavor to make it a better place in which to live. He held public office as city engineer, street commissioner, overseer of the poor, member of the School Committee and as member of the Representative Council, in all of which positions he was faithful in the performance of his public duties.

He had a fine standard of official responsibility. It is related that he had planned to visit the Panama canal with a body of civil engineers and that he was anticipating great pleasure in making the trip under such conditions. In the meantime he was appointed upon an important committee of the Representative Council, whereupon he gave up the trip in order to perform his public duties and made it afterwards alone.

But it was in his unofficial labors that he best displayed his interest in the city's social betterment. For more than 30 years he was an active member of the Board of Reference of the Charity Organization Society, he assisted in the establishment of the Holly Tree Coffee Room, and was prominent in its management so long as it seemed to fill a needed place in the city life; he was a valued associate of Miss Wormeley in the establishment of the Law and Order League, an organization for the better enforcement of law, and in starting and maintaining a department of industrial school work before the public school authorities took up the project; he was for a time a trustee of the Newport Hospital, a member of the Tuberculosis Association, of the Municipal Improvement Society, and was one of the group of citizens who framed the present city charter.

It is not now necessary to name all of the organizations looking to the public welfare in which he had active membership. In a word, he belonged to that class of citizens of public spirit, a few of whom are fortunately to be found in most communities ready to respond by way of personal service to any call which gives promise of improving the social and civic conditions of their city or town. A community is poor indeed which is without such men ad women.

But Captain Cotton possibly rendered his greatest public service in connection with the Co-Operative Association for Saving and Building of which, if any one person is to be given the honor, he may fairly be called the founder, and of which he has been the first and only president. Here was a field for the encouragement of thrift among workers with modest incomes which he entered upon with earnestness and enthusiasm. Many persons owe the fact that they now own their homes unencumbered to this admirable institution, which not a few of them were induced to join by Captain Cotton. He took an honest and justifiable pride in its growth and development and in its helpful influence in the upbuilding of character as well as in its aid in improving financial conditions. And in this way the captain's broad and generous sympathy for his fellow-workers found at once its opportunity and its fruition. He was always glad as best he could to help those who tried to help themselves.

His associates will miss his friendly greeting, his pleasant companionship, his wise counsels and the helpful influence of his honorable life. And some there are who were accustomed to look to him for friendly encouragement, sound advice and kindly assistance in other ways, and they will indeed miss him, while the whole community is the poorer because of his departure. He died, as he recently expressed the hope that he might, suddenly and apparently it was without pain. Who will take up the burdens he laid down?

E.

Newport, Dec. 13, 1913.

To the Editor of the News:

In the passing away of Captain Cotton Newport has indeed lost one of her best and most useful citizens. This is well shown in the excellent sketch of his life which has appeared in your columns. His work in this community in the practice of his profession of civil engineering has been a great service. To this he has added, altogether unselfishly, an amount of helpfulness to his fellow-citizens which it would be hard to find equalled by the contribution of any one else.

Prominent among the many channels in which his helpfulness has been markedly manifest are the Charity Organization Society, the Co-Operative Association for Saving and Building, the Improved Tenement Building Association, the Association for the Relief and Prevention of Tuberculosis, the Citizens' Municipal Association and the city government. Inaccurately accounting the city government service as from the adoption of the new charter, Captain Cotton has been in all these organizations a worker from their beginning. In the formation of some of them he was more influential than any other person. He had much to do in providing the present building ordinance. Dependence could always be placed upon his helpfulness to worthy efforts to benefit his fellows generally, and especially his fellow-citizens. His knowledge of engineering work about the city was very extensive and accurate, and it was always at the disposal of those who asked. Upon numerous committees of the Representative Council he filled a place that no other member could fill so well.

The story of the life of Captain Cotton is substantially the counterpart of the life story of a larger part of the men who in their day and generation have made the most of their lives for themselves and for others. Born in a Maine country town, of parents in moderate circumstances, of the precious old New England stock that had coped successfully with the hardships of pioneer life, and had been fighting patriots in the times that tried men's souls, he made his own start in life under circumstances that developed his faculties, his industry, his energy, his perseverance. This is the kind of boyhood that many great men have had; and it has influenced their whole after lives for their own attainment and for their usefulness in the world.

Although we had never realized it, Captain Cotton was well on toward four score years of age; and yet his activities were hardly lessened in any particular, nor did he ask to be relieved from any duty. He was never one of those who say: "The world owes me a living, and I am going to have it, irrespective of any effort of my own." Rather was he seeking out of his capacity and time and strength to do all that he could. Called to any public service, he did not question "What am I going to get out of this?" but, "What can I do to help?"

If we had to try to say in one word what was the dominant idea of his life, that word would be service. In these days there are many who believe the essence of true practical religion to be largely expressed in this one word service—service to one's God, service to one's fellowman. Captain Cotton was faithful in all this service. We shall miss that service in this community more than we can at once realize.

Would that the boys and young men of our city today, inspired by his example, would set themselves more diligently to industry, acquirement, cultivation, good citizenship, generosity, helpfulness, service.

C. A. B.

Newport, Dec. 15, 1913.

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STRONG TAUNTON FIVE DEFEATED.

Old and New Rogers Men Play Star Game, Which Is Fast All the Time.

Team Work Resembles That of Mid-Season, and Basket Shooting All That Could Be Desired.

With three of the regulars who carried the team to a championship last year, the Rogers basket ball team started its season well again Saturday evening at the high school gymnasium when Taunton was defeated by the score of 55-18. The team work shown by the locals resembled mid-season form and after the first few minutes the basket shooting was all that could be desired. All the squad had opportunity to show their talents, and to say that all the new members, besides the veterans, acquitted themselves creditably is putting it somewhat mildly, as most of them played a star game.

The hard practice and coaching under the direction of "Florrie" Harvey during the past two weeks showed their results by the decisive defeat of the strong Taunton five, ranked as one of the best in southeastern Massachusetts. Slight defects noted will be corrected.

Taunton came minus two of the regular players; but these two, the accurate shooting Lockhart and the speedy Callahan of football fame, arrived during the intermission between the first and second halves and played in the last period. In the first period their places were filled by the versatile "Bill" Martland of last season's Rogers team and by Harry Oxx, who played with Rogers three years ago. The work of these Newporters prevented Rogers from rolling up a much large score and they easily featured the playing of the Taunton team during this period.

Every minute of the game was of more than ordinary interest to the spectators. The playing was fast all the way, while the spectacular shots at intervals served to enliven this interest, which manifested itself in loud applause at every good shot made.

Successful passing by the Rogers team resulted in most of its scores from comparatively short range, but occasionally a long shot went through the net. Taunton, on the other hand, had its passing nearly always broken up by the Rogers backfield, thereby causing the larger amount of their goals to be scored from long distance. At the very start two of these shots were indeed spectacular, but as the game progressed the number of times the Taunton team came within easy shooting distance of their goal became diminished, while that of Rogers increased.

Lee, playing the defensive guard position for Rogers, performed his part in a manner deserving the highest praise. Time after time he broke up the passing of the Taunton team almost unassisted, and in many cases it was his "feeding" of the forwards which made a score possible. Arnold as usual played a fast floor game and kept the team at its top speed throughout. He led in the scoring with six goals, while his judgment in giving plays was good. Captain Marshall outjumped his man every time, and kept Rogers even in the first five minutes, when Taunton proved especially dangerous. He was only one point behind Arnold in high scoring, while his shooting with men on his back was one of the features.

Cottrell as forward was conspicuous for his floor work, while the playing of Diggles in the second half proved that he is one of the "finds" of the year. The work of Martin and Denniston as shooting guards was of high order. Between them they scored nine goals; four going to Martin and five to Denniston in the half each played; in them Rogers has a pair who can well hold down their position as crack shots. Jemall demonstrated his ability by holding the speedy Lockhart to no goals from the floor.

For Taunton the floor work and shooting of Duffy featured. He made 10 of his team's 18 points, and succeeded in scoring the first goal of the year on Rogers floor by a long shot which brought him loud applause. Martland and Oxx also did well for the losing team.

Rogers seemed to be slow in starting, and Duffy put his team into the lead by scoring the first goal. After Rogers had missed several easy tries Marshall evened the score, but Martland netted one from the centre of the hall. At this point Rogers struck its real speed, and began to play all around the visitors. Cottrell tallied on a well earned goal, followed by two more by Marshall. Cottrell scored again, and then Martin

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